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1746—1750

MINUTES
# of the
Proceedings of the Society
For Promoting Christian Knowledge
At their House in
Bartlets Buildings
Holborn LONDON

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 5th Augt. 1746

Prest. Mr Hastings, Mr
Thorold, Mr Ferrett, Mr
Ravaud, Mr Ziegenhagen,
Mr Newey Mr Sydenham,
Mr Pittis, Mr Albinus, Mr
Berriman, Dr Wilson, Mr
Whitehorne, Mr Vernon

Mr Newey in the Chair
in ye Absence of Dr Usemere

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Mrs Lee
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W B
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7 The Society agreed with ye Comee to have all such Tracts in their Catalogue as are Threepence Price, & upwards including the Xtian Monitor, bound in Pasteboard & Mr Dod being call'd in, agreed to supply ye Society wth them at One Penny each.

8 Letters were read from Mr Thomas at Falmouth 28th July Dr Fenton at Lancaster 28 July, Dr Thomas at Presteign 1 Augt. Mr G. Broughton at Leicester 2d Augt. Mr Cawley at Wandsworth 5 Aug. 1746.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 12 Augt. 1746

Prest. Dr Wilson, Mr Thorold Mr Newey, Mr Cawley, Mr Serces, Mr Pittias, Mr Vernon,

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye absence of Mr Whitcom

1 The Society corresponding wth that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestant Schools in Ireland, having sent 300 of The Bp of Kildare's Sermon, preach'd at Christ-Church Dublin on ye 23 March 1745, as a present to this Society.

Ord.

2 Order'd that Thanks be return'd for the Present.

3 A Letter was read from Thomas Micklethwait Esqr. at Leeds dated ye 19 Inst. with a Bill on Messrs. Furstenau & Co. in London, for £10. 8. 2. of wch sum one Guinea is Mr. Micklethwaits Benefaction towards a new Impression of Bibles in ye Welch Langa. & ye remainder is to pay for Books.

4 The Secry reported that he had recd the following Benefactions, & placed them to Dr Denne's Account, viz.

To the Welch Bible

W B.	From The Revd Dr. Regis, of Adisham, in Kent	0. 10. 6
Sundries 2.02.6	Mr Geo: Aufrere	0 10 6
	Revd. Mr Barcroft, Vicr of Kelvedon in Essex	1. 1. 0

5 To the General Desings

G D.	From The Revd. Mr Smith Rect. of Bushey Herts	4. 4. 0
Mr Smith 4.4.0		

6 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be given to the Benefactors.

7 Agreed that 200 Copies of ye Acc of ye persecution now carrying on agt the Protestants in France, be given as a prest to the Revd Mr Serces, as soon as ye Impressi is finish'd.

Upon

8 Upon reading a Letter from Mr. S. Bruncker, Sub Treasurer of the Middle Temple, dated ye 4th Inst, in wch he informs the Society, that Complaint hath been ma that ye Roof of their Chambers has sus=teind great Damage by the late Rains

9 Order'd that Mr Thorne be directe to survey ye same, & bring in an Estimate of what Repairs may be necessary to be made.

10 Order'd that ye Society be specially summon'd for next Tuesday, to give their Directions concerning the more effectually dispersing of the Account of the persecution now carrying on agt ye Protestants in Franc

11 Agreed that Dr Wilson be desir'd to beg ye favour of Dr Ayscough to take a convenient Opportunity of laying the Proposals for a new Impression of Welch Bibles, before His Royal. The Prince of Wales

12 Agreed to recommend it to the Society, to take ye Xtian Monitor, of the large Character into their Catalogue to be dispers'd occasionally as ye small one is, provided it can be had upon reasonable Terms

13 The Secry reported that ye under=mention'd poor Debtors had been discharg'd

discharg'd out of Prison, pursuant to an Order of ye Society, with ye Charity

Ludgate

Debtors' Names	Debt	Composit.n	Chamber
Wm. Beadle a Wife & 1 Child		3.13.6	0.16.6

Marshalsea

Debtors' Names	Debt	Composit.n	Chamber
Jam.s Edmonds a Carpenter Sickly Wife & 3 Children		3.0.0	
Jno. Sharpe a Brewers Serv. a wife & 1 Child	5.2.0	2.2.0	
…… Reiley a Taylor a wife & 2 Children			1.1.0
Jno. Glasby a Sawyer a wife & 1 Child	4.0.0	2.2.0	0.8.6
Wm. Stretch a Horner a Wife & 3 Children	16.17.0	3.0.0	
Jonath.n Goodwyn a Schoolm.r	4.10.0	2.10.0	0.8.6
Catharine Woodman a Wid.o		0.4.6	0.9.6
		16.12.0	3.4.0

Total 19.16.0

14 Agreed that a Copy of the above Acc.t be transmitted to The Bishop of Oxford & Dr. Pelling.

15 Letters were read from Mr. Cawley Mr. Fox, Mr. Frampton Mr. Micklethwait Mr. Gamage, Mr. Birch, Mr. Morant, Mr.

King

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 19th Augt 1746
At a Special Meeting of the Society
Prest: Mr Hastings, Mr
Thorold, Mr Newey, Mr
Bourdillon, Mr Ravaud,
Dr [illegible]son, Mr
Serces, Mr Pittius, Mr Vernon
Dr Wilson in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Whitehorn

1 Upon reading two Letters from The Revd Mr Bacon in Maryland, to Dr Wilson, wherein he intimates that some Practical Books & Tracts would be highly Acceptable in that Country:

2 Agreed that a Packet to ye Amount of £5. be sent as a Present to Mr Bacon to be distributed in such manner, as he shall judge will best promote the Society's Design.

6.

3 Order'd that ye Repairs of The Society's Chambers in the Temple, be immediately made according to an Estimate deliver'd by Mr Thorne, amounting to £15—

1. The following Tract entitl'd Popery always the Same, exemplifi'd in an Authentick Account of ye Persecution now carrying

on

on against the Protestants in the South of with an Appendix consisting of Original Papers was unanimously admitted into ye Society's Catalogue, by Balloting & ye price fixed at 8d.

5 Orderd that a Copy of ye said Account be immediately sent to Each of The Bishops and ye same to ye Members, as opportunity offers.

6 Agreed that Five Pounds, be given as a Gratuity to The Revd Mr Moore, for his Care & pains in Translating ye Memorials, Letters & Edicts in ye Appendix to ye Accot of ye Persecution & that Mr Watts, in ye Absence of Dr Denne do pay the same.

7 Two Bills, one from Mr Robt Wilsonn for 62 Reams & 1/2 of Printing Demy Paper at 11.6 ⅌ Ream, amounting to 35.18.9 & ye other from Mr Oliver for Printing 5000 of ye above Accoun at 3.1.0 ⅌ Sheet were laid before the Society

8 Orderd that ye said Bills be paid on the Absence of Mr A D Denne, by Mr Watts.

9 The Society agreed wth ye Comee to take ye Christian Monitor, of the large Character upon their Catalogue.

10. Letters were read from Mr Caley, Mr Gibert, Mr White, Mr Hildrop, Mr Bates, Dr Bearcroft at ye Charterhouse 18 Augt 1746.

Bartlet's

Bartlets Buildd

Tuesday 26 Augt 1746

Prest. Mr Hastings Mr Thorold, Dr Wilson, Mr Dalbiac, Mr Newey, Mr Dawson Mr Bourdillon, Mr Albinus.

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Whitehorne

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd the following Benefactions, & plac'd them to Dr Denne's Account, viz

G. D.	2.	To the General Designs	
Sundries		From Mr Catmore of London	1..1..0
4..4..0		Revd Mr Mason of Hull	1..1..0
		Revd Mr Chapman Prebendary of Bristol at Admission	1..1..0
		Revd Mr Gibert of Belton near Grantham	1..1..0
			4..4..0
W. B.	3	To the Welch Bible	
Sundries		Thos Micklethwait Esqr of Leeds Yorks	1..1..0
11..16..0		An unknown Hand	0..5..0
		The Right Honble the Lady Frances Hastings paid by Mr Hoare to Dr Dennes Accot	10..10..0
			11..16..0

4. Dr Wilson paid to the Secretary to be plac'd to Dr Denne's Account a

G. D. Mr Dowding 1.1.0 Guinea, being a Benefaction to the Genera
Designs, from the Rev. Mr Dowding Ministe
of Tunbridge Wells at Admission.

5 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society
be sent to the respective Benefactors.

6 Letters were read from Mr Dowding
Mr Crewe, Dr Burnet at Westhington, Mr
Mason at Hull, Mr Huysh at Clisthydon
Mr Bowerbank at Weyhill, Mr Doughty
at Wispington 23d Augt. 1716.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 2d Septemr 1716

Presd Mr Vernon, Mr Thorold
Mr Dawson, Mr Bourdillon
Mr Newey, Mr Albinus, Mr Hasting
Mr Venn.

Mr Vernon in ye Chair in the
absence of Mr Whitehorne

1 Mr Thorold paid ye undermentiond
Benefactions to Mr Watts to be plac'd to Dr
Denn's Acct. viz

G. D. Mr Welles 1.1.0 From The Rev. Mr Welles of
Pretsbury in Glocestersr to ye Gl
Designs } 1.1.0

2. To the Welch Bible

W. B. Sundries 5.14.0 From Mr De Mers at Windsor -- 1.1.0
His two Daughters -- 1.1.0

Rev.d D.r Booth Dean of Windsor 2..2..

M.rs Perryman .... 1....

M.r Condamine .... 0..10..

3 The Secretary reported that he had rec.d y.e following Benefactions towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles, & plac'd them to D.r Denne's Acc.t viz

W.B. Sundries £ 9.9.0

From The Rev.d M.r Baynes of Knowstrop near Leeds York.s } 1..1..

M.rs Baynes .... 1..1..

Rev.d M.r Castleman Prebendary of Bristol .... } 5..5..

Jn.o Bunython MD at Bristol 2..2..

W.B. M.r Marc £ 1.1.0

4 The Rev.d M.r Bourdillon paid a Guinea to M.r Watts, to be plac'd to D.r Denne's Acc.t being a Benefaction of M.r James Marc's to y.e same charitable Design

5 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd to y.e Benefactors

6 M.r Venn according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for y.e Month ensuing

7 M.r Nathanael Townshend, in Lothbury, recommended by D.r Wilson & M.r Berriman, M.r Peter Dobree of London Merch.t, recommended by M.r Berriman & M.r Sydenham: and The Rev.d M.r Jn.o Doughty Minister of S.t

St James Clerkenwell, recommended by Dr Wilson & Mr Newey were chose Subscribing Members of this Society.

8 And The Revd Mr Thos Watson Curate of Petworth in Suſsex recommended by Mr Wilson of Cocking: and The Revd Mr Bacon of Talbot County in Maryland, recommended by Dr Wilson, were chosen Corresponding Members

9 Order'd that ye Secrys do Acquaint ye abovementioned Gentlemen wth such Choice

10 The Revd Mr Gueister, in his Letter of ye 21st Jany last, having inform'd ye Society that the Affairs of the Miſsion at Madras have sustain'd great Damage, occasion'd by the Money & Presents design'd for ye Miſsion not being put on Board, ye earliest India Ships, which besides often loose their Paſsage.

11 Agreed that for the future, ye Society's Money & Presents be sent to ye Miſsionaries by the earliest Conveyance.

12 Several Letters were read from the Miſsionaries in East India.

13 Agreed that the said Letters together wth their Journals & Conferences (wch are arriv'd) be read to the Society in Novemr next, & that in the mean time, they be lent to such Members as shall please to peruse them

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The Society agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday ye 30th Inst. & gave Directions to the Secry to dispatch ye necessary Business, during their Adjournment.

Letters were read from Mr Boswell at Taunton 23 Augt. Mr Castleman at So Petherton, Mr Smalbroke at Lichfield 29 Augt. Mr Byrch at Dover. 28 Augt. Mr Cobb at Whitchurch Dorsetsre 27 Augt. Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer Georgia 1 May 1746

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 30 Sepr. 1746

Presnt. Mr Hastings, Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Mr Sydenham, Mr Pittius, Mr Albinus,

Mr Thorold in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Venn.

Legacy
James Wilson Esqr
50. 0. 0.

1 A Letter was read from The Revd Mr Fenwick, at Hallaton in Leicesters. dated 23 Inst. wth a Bill upon Mr John Hale in London for 50l. wch sum was bequeathed to Mr Fenwick, for ye use of ye Society by James Wilson late of Keythorpe Esqr.

2 M.A.D.D. Another Letter was read from the Rev.d Dr Annesley at Thatcham, Berks, dated 16 Ins.t with a Bill on Tho. Barsham Esq. in Bolt Court Fleet Street, for £3.11.0 of which sum One Guinea is a Benefaction to ye Welch Bible to be enter'd M.A.D.D. Another Guinea a Benefaction to the General Designs, to be enter'd in like manner, & ye remainder is to pay for Books

3 The Secry reported that he had rec.d ye undermention'd Benefactions & plac'd them to Dr Denne's Acc.t viz

G.D. Sundries 7.7.0

To the General Designs

From Dr Thorpe Physician at Stroud Glocesters. at Admiss.n	1.1.0
Two Ladies desiring to be Unknown thro' ye hands of The Rev.d Mr Gibert	2.2.0
A Gentleman desiring to be unknown, by the hands of Dr Hales	2.2.0
Rev.d Mr Burrow at Chesterfield	2.2.0
	7.7.0

4. W.B. Sundries 10.5.6.

To the Welch Bible

Dr Thorpe	1.1.0
W. H. by The Secretary	1.7.0
Rev.d Dr Regis of Addham in Kent for several Persons	1.11.6
Two Gentlewomen desiring to be unknown by ye hands of Dr Hales	4.4.0
Rev.d Dr Ayerst Prebendary of Canterbury	2.2.0
£	10.5.6

E. I. M
Dr. Ayerst
2.2.–

with two Guineas more from Dr. Ayerst being a Benefaction to ye East Indian Mission paid to Mr. Hoare.

W. B.
Mr. A.D. Potter
3.3.0

6 Mr. Watts reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr. Denn's Acct. three Guineas being a Benefaction towards a new Impression of Bibles in ye Welch Language from The Revd. Mr. A.D. Potter

7 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be return'd to ye respective Benefacrs.

8. Agreed that two Bills one for Printing Proposals for the Welch Bible & for Advertisements, amounting to 2.10.– & another Bill of 0.18.9 for binding some Books for ye Stores, be paid by Mr. Watts in ye Absence of Mr. A.D. Denne.

9. Letters were read from Mr. Harvey Mr. Fenwick at Hallaton, Mr. Jackson at Addle, Bp. of Oxford Mr. Nicolson at Carlisle Dr. Thorpe at Stroud Mr. Castleman at So. Petherton Mr. Brown at Tavistock, Mr. Watson at Petworth Mr. Blundell at Leverpoole, Dr. Regis at Adisham Mr. Bolzius in Georgia Mr. Perronet at Shoreham, Bps. of Lichfield & Glocester, Norwich & Chester Mr. Byrch at Dover, Dr. Jenner Mr. Tucker at Bristol Dr. Annesley at Thatcham Mr. Doughty at Wispington,

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 7 Octo. 1716

Prest Dr Best, Dr Wilson Mr Sydenham Mr Venn Col. Hudson, Mr Berriman, Mr Dobree Mr Thorold, Mr Ravaud.

Mr Venn in the Chair

1. Legacy 50.. — Dr Osbarne 1.1.0 — The Secretary reported that he had recd & paid to Dr Denne's Acct ye Legacy of 50l mentiond in ye Minutes of last Tuesday, & a Benefaction of a Guinea to ye Genl Designs from the Revd Dr Osborne Rectr of Clifton Bedfords.

2 G.D. Mr Dobree 1..1.. W.B Ditto 1..1..0 — Mr Dobrée, being introduc'd by Mr Berriman, subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs and gave a Guinea as his Benefaction at Admission, & a Guinea towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles, wch sums were paid to Mr Watts.

3 W.B Unknown. 2..2..0 — Mr Berriman paid two Guineas into ye same hands, to be plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct being a Benefaction to ye Welch Bible from a Person desiring to be unknown.

4 G.D. Unknown 2..2..0 — Mr Watts reported that he had recd two Guineas for ye General Designs from a Lady unknown, by the Revd Mr Greek of Derby

5 G.D. Unknown 5..5..0 — Mr Thorold paid to Mr Watts a Benefaction of Five Guineas to ye General Designs

being part of the Produce of a Legacy from a Person, who desir'd to be unknown.

6 Agreed that ye Thanks of the Society be return'd to Mr. Thorold and the other Benefactors.

7. Mr. Jn. Thornton of Fenchurch street Mercht. propos'd by Mr Goodwin & Mr Savill, And the Revd Mr Wm Lord of Wilmington in Sussex recommended by Dr Wilson were chosen Subscribing Members of this Society & ye Secrys ordered to Acquaint them wth such Choice

8 Dr Best according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

9 Order'd that Mr Watts in ye Absence of Mr A. D. Denne do pay to Mr Johnson for Paper on Account of ye

General Designs	16..9..6
For ye Welch Bible	78.12..0
£	95.1..6

10. Letters were read from Dr Hutchinson at Horsham, Mr Ault at Arlsey Mr Doughty at Wispington, Mr Rogers at Bradford Mr Pratt at Winton Mr Dawson at Virginia, Mr Vaughan at Leominster 29 Sepr. 1746.

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 14 Octo. 1746

Presᵗ Dr Best Mr Sydenham
Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Dr
Bearcroft, Mr Dobrée Mr Serces,
Col. Hudson, Mr Ravaud

Dr Best in the Chair

1 The Secretary reported that he had received ye following Benefactions, & placed them to Dr Denne's Account, viz

G.D. 2 To the General Designs

Dutchess of Somerset 2..2..

From her Grace the Dutchess of Somerset, thro' ye hands of the Revd Mr Watson of Petworth } 2..2.0

W.B. 3 To the Welch Bible

Sundries 2..1..6

From Sr Hugh Williams Bart	1..1.0
Mr John Wynn	0..5.0
Mr John Edwards	0..5.0
Revd Mr Brown at Tavistock who remits these Benefactions	0..10.6

4 Orderd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

5 A Letter was read from The Revd Mr White, at Stratford, dated 11th Inst, relating to a Charity School, lately erected at Holton,

6 Agreed that ye said Letter, be laid before ye Society for their Opinion at their next Meeting: & that 25 Lewis's Catechisms

be

be sent as a Present to Mr White for ye use of ye said School.

7 Dr Bearcroft paid to ye Secretary to be placed to Dr Denne's Acct a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye General Designs from The Revd Mr Lunn Rect of Denton in Kent.

G D
Mr Lunn
1.1.0

8 Letters were read from Mr White at Stratford, Mr Punderson at Grotton in New England, Mr Watson at Petworth in Sussex, Mr Bromsall at Blunham, Mr Harris at Stonehouse 6 Oct 1746

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 21 Oct 1746

Pres. Dr Regis Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Mr Sydenham Mr Bourdillon, Mr Pittius

Mr Sydenham in the Chair in ye Absence of Dr Best

G D
Dean of York
3.3.0
Mrs Fitzherbert
0.10.6

1 Mr Watts reported that he had recd & placed to Dr Denne's Acct three Guineas being a Benefaction to ye General Designs of the Society from the Revd the Dean of York & half a Guinea from Mrs Fitzherbert by ye hands of the Revd Mr Green of Derby.

W: Br
Mr Baker 5..0

2 The Revd Dr Regis paid to the Secry Five shillings towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles from the Revd Mr Baker ye Doctr Curate

3 The Secry reported that he had recd the undermentiond Benefactions & placd them to Dr Dennes Acct viz.

G. D.
Mr Dennison 1.1.0
Mr Chappelow 1.1.0

To the General Designs

From Mr Aldermn Dennison of Leeds 1.1.0
Revd Mr Professr Chappelow 1.1.0

4 Agreed that 12 Sermons preachd at ye Funeral of the Earl of Rochester, be given to The Revd Dr Regis out of ye Stores

5 Letters were read from Mr Peters at St Mabin in Cornwal, Mr Smalbrooke at Lichfield, Mr Benson at Worcester, Mr Morgan at Towyn, Mr Jackson at Addle Yorks, 1746

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 28 Octr 1746

Prest Mr Sydenham, Mr Dobree, Mr Newey, Col. Hudson Mr Thorold, Dr Wilson, Mr Albinus

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr Best.

W. B.
Religious Society 1.1.0

1 Mr Thorold paid to ye Secry to be placd to Dr Dennes Acct a Guinea being

a

a Benefaction towards a new Impressio
of Welch Bibles from the Religious Socie
at Windsor.

Agreed that Mr Thorold be desir'd to give ye Thanks of ye Society to the Benefactors.

Letters were read from Mr. Drake at Swinderby, Mr Cailey at Chelsea, Mr Pages at Farmboro' 1746.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 4th Nov. 1746

Present Dr Wilson Mr Thorold, Dr Robinson Mr Newey, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Dalbiac, Mr Albinus Col. Hudson

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr Best.

1 Dr Wilson paid to the Secry to be placed to Dr Denne's Acct two Guineas being a Benefaction to ye General Designs from a Person desiring to be unknown, thro' ye hands of Mr Hett in ye Poultry.

G. D.
Unknown 2..2..0

2 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermentioned Benefactions towards

a

a new Impression of Bibles in ye Welch Language, viz.

W.B.
Sundries
6..6..0

From Mr Williamson Attorney at Law at Alford Lincolnsre	2..2..0
Revd Mr Rogers at Bradford Somerst	2.2.0
Revd Mr Murgatroyd at Leeds Yorksre	1.1.0
Revd Mr Marshall at Allesley near Coventry	1.1.0

3 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to the Benefactors

4 Dr Robinson according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

5 Dr Stonehouse Physician at Northampton recommended by Dr Best, & Mr Peter Dobree Junr of Leadenhall Street recommended by Mr Land & Mr Berreman were chose Subscribing Members of this Society. And the Revd Mr Waring Lecturer of St Mildred in the Poultry, recomended by Mr Hastings was chose a Corresponding Member.

6 Order'd that ye Secrys do acquaint ye above mention'd Gentlemen wth such Choice

7 A Letter was read from The Revd Mr Jones of Alconbury to Mr Thorold dated 25 Octr relating to some Querys sent to him last year concerning Charity Schools wherein he observes that having mention'd his Designs of getting a correct List of Schools in that County to the Bp of Lincoln His Lordship was pleas'd to say, that he would order his Secry (if ye Society

do pre

desire it) to examine ye Records of his Visitation Enquiries on that head, & extract ye Answers, not only in relation to that County but his whole Diocese.

8 **Agreed** that his Lordship be desir'd at his Leisure, to favour ye Society with the said Account.

9 Messrs Bloss & Johnson deliver'd a Bill for 214 Rm of Paper for ye Welch Bible to ye 15 July amounting to £25.14.6

10 **Order'd** that Mr Watts do pay ye said Bill in ye Absence of Dr Denne.

11 **Agreed** that Five thousand Church Catechisms be printed in ye Welch Tongue, for ye benefit of ye Poor in Wales, at the Request of The Revd Mr Griff. Jones.

12. **Agreed** that Mr White's Letter relating to ye Charity School lately erected at Holton, be referr'd to the Consideration of of the Trustees of the Charity Schools

13 **Agreed** that application be made to ye Honble the Court of Directors of ye United East India Co that ye Things undermention'd be sent Freight free to Fort St George in one of ye Companys early Ships.

14. A List of Things desir'd
to be sent Freight free

4 Cases of Paper & Pasteboards containing

37. Ream of Paper
4 Doz. of Pasteboards
36 Portuguese Testamts.
5 Hour Glasses of 4 Glasses,
12 Penknives. 200 Quills
6.lb of Brass for ye Lre found.
12.lb of Glew. 12.lb of Soap.
18. Skins of Parchment
1.lb of Vermillion. 1.lb of Verdegrease
1.lb of Indigo.
2. Presses for planeing books
a Pair of Compasses
200 Needles
A Barrel of Lamblack
5 Gallons of Linseed Oyl.

6 Brushes
a Pr. of Compasses
1 Doz. Bibles & Com: Prayrs for a Gentn at Fort St. George
24. Sticks of Seal. Wax
24. Papers of Ink powd
12 Slates & Pencils
12 Wash balls. a Glo
a few General Maps
Some Books & Tracts for ye Charity School
4 Chests of Beer
4 Ches. Cheeses cov. wth Lead.

Foreign Silver, not exceeding 1000 Ounces.

15 Order'd that Mr Watts do buy of Foreign Silver £200. & that Mr Hastings be desired to Advance that sum in ye Absence of Dr Denne.

16 Agreed that Mr Hoare be desired to pay ye Secry what Money he has in his hands towards buying ye Necessaries for ye E. I. Mission

17. Letters were read from Mr Morgan at Brightwell, Mr Nicolson in Cumberland Mr Smalbroke at Lichfield Mr Parsons at Bedingham Mr White at Stratford 1746

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 11th Novr 1746

Prest Dr Bearcroft.
Mr Sydenham, Dr Wilson
Mr Dobree Senr Mr Bourdillon
Mr Thornton, Mr Dobree Junr
Mr Thorold.

Dr Bearcroft in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Dr Robinson

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd ye undermentioned Benefactions, & plac'd them to Dr Denne's Acct.

W. B. Sundries 7„4„–

On Acct of ye Welch Bible

From the Revd Mr Salway at Worcester	1„1.0
Revd Mr Pritchett	1„1„0
Martyn Sandys of Worces. Esqr	10.6
Mrs Sandys	10.6
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown	10„6
A Gentleman	5„..
Four Gentlemen each 5„	1„–
A Gentlewoman	2„6
Ditto	1„–
Revd Mr Benson of Worcestr who remitted these Benefns	1„1„–
M.A.D.D.	1„1„–
	£ 7„4„0

To the General Designs £ s d

M.A.D.D. 1.1.0

G.D.
M. A. D. D.
1.1.0

3 Mr Thornton & Mr Dobree Junr. giving their Company at ye Board, Sub=scrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs, & gave a Guinea each, as Their Benefactions at Admiss. & ye like Sum towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles, wch was paid to Mr Watts in ye Absence of Mr A.D. Denne, & ye Thanks of ye Society given to Mr Thornton & Mr Dobree for their Benefactions

G.D.
Mr Thornton 1.1–
Mr Dobree 1.1–
W. B.
Mr Thornton 1.1–
Mr Dobree 1.1–

4 A Letter was read from Bry Blundell Esqr. at Leverpoole, dated 7th Inst., with a Bill upon Mr Charles Pole Merchant in London for 10..10..0: Part of which is to pay for Books & ye Overplus Mr Blundell gives towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles

5 Another Letter was read from The Revd Mr Peters at St Mabin in Cornwall dated 3 Inst. wth a Bill upon ye Company of Copper Miners in Bush Lane for 1..4..0 to pay for Books.

6 The Secry reported that he had recd by the General Post from a Lady desiring to be unknown a Ticket in ye Present Lottery No. 43713 designd for ye Advantage of ye Welch Bibles

7 Order'd that ye said Ticket be lodg'd in ye hands of ye Treasurer, & that ye Society's Thanks be return'd for ye Gift.

8 Letters were read from Mr Birch at Dover 7 Novr Dr Jenner at Buckworth 4 Novr Mr Pennington at Huntingdon 9 Novr Mr Lord at Wilmington Sussex 21 Octr Mr Castleman at So Petherton 8 Novr Mr Morgan at Brightwell Dr Hartley at Bath Revd Mr Fort at Plimo 1746

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 18 Novemr 1746

Prest Dr Cartwright
Mr Berriman, Mr Nicholson
Mr Sydenham, Mr Dobree
Mr Blencowe, Mr Dalbiac
Mr Thorold in ye Chair in the absence of Dr Robinson

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct the undermention'd Benefactions, viz

W.B. Sundries [illegible]

To the Welch Bible

From Mr Wm Wathen at Stroud-water in Glocestersre } 1..1..–

G.D. Mr Negus 1.1.0.

Mr Roberts of Rotherhith by The Revd Mr Negus } 1..1..–

And from Mr Negus to the General Designs } 1..1..–

G.D.

Mr. A.D. Potter 2.2.0

2 Mr. Watts reported that Mr. Archdeacon Potter had desir'd him to Subscribe for him Three Guineas pr. Ann., & that he had paid him two Guineas as a Benefaction at Admission, wch was plac'd to Dr. Dennes's Acct.

3 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be return'd for the Benefactions

WB Mr Morgan 1.1.0

4 Mr. Thorold paid to ye Secretary to be plac'd to Dr. Dennes's Acct. a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Welch Bibles from The Revd. Mr. Jno. Morgan of Fotheringhay remitted by the Revd. Mr. Jones of Alconbury

5 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to the Lord Bp. of Worcester for 6 Copies of his Thanksgiving Sermon & to Dr. Thorpe at Stroud for 50 of Mr. Sarjvells Tracts on Confirmation

6 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be likewise given to the Honble the Court of Directors of the East India Company for permitting the things design'd for ye Society's Missionaries to go freight free in one of their Ships

7. Letters were read from Mr. Gay at Exeter 10 Novr. Bp. of Lincoln at St. Edmundsbury 13 Novr. Mr. Bridgen at Lond. Dr. Thorpe at Stroud 29 Sepr. Mr. Neges at Rotherhith 11 Novr. Mr. Blundell at Leverpoole, Mr. Haddon at Warrington 14 Novr. 1746.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 25 Novr 1746

Prest Mr Hastings, Mr Berriman, Mr Dawson, Mr Sydenham, Mr Dobree,

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr Robinso

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Dennes Acc. One Guinea; being a Benefaction to ye General Designs, from The Revd Mr Waterhouse, Rect. of Langley in Kent

G.D. Mr Waterhouse 1.1–

2 The Rev. Mr Pennington. Rectr of All saints in Huntington, having sent 25 Copys of his Thanksgiving Sermon, as a Present to ye Society

3 Agreed that the Society's Than be given for ye same.

4. Agreed that 6 Com: Prayers wth a few of the Affectionate Address to Prisoners for Debt out of ye Store, be sent to the Revd Mr Villette for ye use of the Debtors in White Chappel Prison Mr Villette engageing to keep ye Com: Prayrs in his own Custody

5. Letters were read from Mr Adamson, Mr Belitha, Mr Ravaud, & Mr Hastings 1746

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 2d Decem. 1746

Presᵗ. Mr Thorold, Mr Howard, Mr Dawson, Sr Jno Philipps, Bart. Mr Whitehorne, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Newey, Mr Worthington Mr Dobree Senr. Mr Sydenham.

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr Robinson

1. Sir Jno Philipps according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the Month ensuing

2. The Revd Mr Wm Talbot, Fellow of Clare Hall in Cambridge, recommended by Mr Thorold & Dr Wilson was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society: & the Secry order'd to acquaint him wth such Choice

3. A French Translation of An Essay towards an Instruction for ye Indians recommended by Mr Bourdillon, having been perus'd by 4 Members & approv'd, was admitted into ye Society's Catalogue by Balloting

4 W. B. Mr Blundell 1.. 16.. 7 The Secry reported that he had plac'd to Dr Dennes Accot. One Pound Six-teen Sillings & 7 pence being ye Overplus of a Bill lately return'd by Mr Blundell of Leverpoole, for Books &c. & by his Direction,

applied

apply it towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles —

5 The Secry further reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to ye same Acct a Guinea, for ye General Designs: & hal a Guinea for ye Welch Bible, both Benefactions from The Revd Mr Parry Rect of Shipston upon Stower Worcestershi

G. D.
Mr Parry
1..1..0
W. B
Do. 10.6

6 A Letter was read from Mr Mat Davies at Beverly, wth a Bill enclos'd upon Mr Hodges in Blowbladder Str for 2 Guineas, to pay Sr Griff: Boynton's Subscription to Christmas last —

7 Ordered that the Secry do insur on Board ye Stafford, bound for ye East Indies, a Sum of Money not exceeding Six hundred Pounds

8 Sr Jno Philipps giving his Company at ye Board, paid 4 Guineas to Mr Watts, to be plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct being the last Quarters Rent of ye Society's Chambers in ye Temple due at Xtmas last. At the same time Sr John paid into ye same hands Twenty Guineas: being a further Benefaction towards a New Impression of Bibles in the Welch Language: & the Thanks of the Society were given to Sr Jno for ye same

W. B
Sr Jno Philipps
21.0.0

G.D. 9 Mr Thorold paid into ye same han
Mr Talbot 1.1 — One Guinea from The Revd Mr Talbot,
W.B. being his Benefaction at Admission, &
Do 1.1 — One Guinea, his Benefaction to ye Welch Bi

10. Agreed that Mr Watts, in the
Absence of Dr Denne, do Advance to
Messrs Bloss & Johnson £10, on Account.

11 The Secry informd the Society tha
G.D. Mr Townshend had desird him, to Subscri
Mr Townshend 1.1 — for him 2 Guineas pr Ann towards carrying
on their Designs, & also to pay a Guinea, as
his Benefaction at Admission, wch was
placed to Dr Denne's Acct.

12. Mr Dobree Senr made a Presen
to the Board 25 Copys of a Tract, entitled
Prayers & Thanksgivings & Meditations,
to assist ye Devout Christian in his pre-
paration for, & Attendance at the Lords
Supper &ca for wch ye Society desird him to
Accept their Thanks.

13 Letters were read from Mr White at
Hawnes 2 Decr Mr Davies at Beverley
Mr Moore at London 2d Decmr 1746

Bartelets Buildg

Tuesday 9th Decemr 1746

Prest Dr Wilson, Mr Sydenham
Mr Dalbiac, Mr Bourdillon, Mr

Mr Albinus, Mr Dawson,
Mr Thorold, Mr Serces Dr
Robinson, Mr Vernon, Col.
Hudson, Mr Dobree Senr
Sir John Philipps
in the Chair

1 **Upon** a Motion made by ye Trustees for the Charity Schools in & about London,

2. **Agreed** that 1000 Copies of a Proposal, annex'd to ye Anniversary Sermon for employing the Children educated in ye said Schools in some such Business as They are capable of, be printed for ye use of ye Trustees.

3 **Mr Berriman** reported that the Executors of Dr Carter's Will, had desir'd him to inform ye Society that they are ready to pay so much of the Doctor Legacy to ye Society, as their present Situation & Circumstances will enable them to do, & that they have Reason to beleive the Heir at Law may be prevail with upon reasonable Terms if the Society be consenting to give up all his Claim & Title to ye real Estate, by wch means ye Society will be possess'd of all the Advantages design'd them by ye Will of Dr Carter,

Ordered

4 Ordered that the Thanks of the Comee be given to Dr Carter's Executors for the Message They have sent, & that they be acquainted, that ye Comee approves of the Contents of ye said Message, & will recomend ye same to ye Consideration of ye Society at their next Meeting

5. Ordered that ye Society be summond to meet on Tuesday next, & that this Affair be then laid before them

6 Agreed that 50 Address to ye Methodists be sent as a Present to The Revd Mr Vaughan at Leominster, he having informd the Comee by Letter, that he could make a good use of them in those Parts.

W. B. Sundries, 0..11..6

7. The Secry reported that he had recd & placed to Dr Denne's Acct 0..11..6 from Mr Vaughan which he had collected for ye Welch Bible

8. Ordered that an Extract of a Letter in French communicated by The Revd Mr Serces, giving a fresh Account of ye Persecution now carrying on agt ye Protestants in France, be translated into English, against Tuesday next, in order to its being laid before the Society

9. Letters were read from Dr Stonehouse at Northampton Mr Vaughan at Leominster Mr Zouch at Sandal, Mr Bowyer at Martock Mr Lucas at Benington, Mr Jones at Alembury 4 Decemr 1746

Bartlets Buildings

At a Meeting of ye Society } **Tuesday** 16 **Decemr** 1746

Presᵗ Sir Jno Philipps
Mr Edwards, Dr Cartwright
Dr Bearcroft Mr Albinus
Mr Thorold, Mr Berriman
Col. Hudson, Mr Sydenham,
Mr Dawson, Mr Bourdillon,
Mr Vittus, Mr Thornton,
Mr Howard, Mr Dobree Senr
Dr Wilson, Mr Vernon.

S.r Jno Philipps in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had rec.d & placd to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Design

G. D.
Sundries 1..11..6
Mr Howard 1..1..–
Mr Lloyd 1..1..–

viz From Mr Howard on ye Bridge 1..1..–
Three Ladys, Mrs Mary Fry,
Mrs Martha Keate, & Mrs
Jane Kempe, half a Guinea each } 1..11..6
Rev.d Mr Lloyd Vic.r of Epping Essex 1..1..–

2 A Letter was read from the Rev.d Mr Tucker at Bristol dated 11th Inst. with a Bill upon Mr Saml Spindler in London for £ 8..3..0 Part of which is to pay for Books, & ye Remainder to be applied as Benefactions to this & two other

Societys

Societys, in such Proportion as Mr Tucker has directed

3 Another Letter was read from The Revd Mr Johnson at St Martyn's Library with Advice that he had sent the following Benefactions towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles, viz

W B
Mr Ricards 1.1.–
Lady Unknown 2.2.–

From The Revd Mr Ricards Rect. of Llanfilling in Montgomerysh. } 1.1.0

A Lady who desires to be Unknown 2.2

4 G.D.
Dr Troughear 1.1.–
Unknown 1.1.–

Dr Bearcroft paid to ye Secry to be placed to Dr Denne's Acct One Guinea from The Revd Dr Troughear of the Isle of Wight One Guinea from a Gentleman who desires to be unknown: being Benefactions to the General Designs

5 G.D.
Mr Salwey 1.1.–

Mr Watts reported that he had recd & placed to Dr Denne's Acct One Guinea, being a Benefaction to the General Designs from Henry Salwey Esqr at Elton Salop.

6 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Governors of ye County Infirmary at Northampton for their Present of Sermons & Papers relating to their Hospital, & that 12 Copies of Dr Lavington's Sermon wth the Acct of ye Society annex'd, be sent to ye Govrs as a Present from this Society.

7. The Revd Mr White of Stratford having returnd his Tract agt Stealing, with all the

the Amendments of the Members to whom it was referr'd for their Opinion punctually inserted, it was agreed by Balloting to take ye said Tract upon ye Society's List of Books at ye following Price, viz. 2 Single, or 12 ⅌ hundred.

8 Mr Thorold Presented to ye Society 100 Copies of *Extracts of Letters relating to Methodists & Moravians.*

9 Agreed that Mr Thorold be desir'd to accept ye Society's Thanks for ye Present.

10 An Authentick Account having been receiv'd since ye Publication of a Treatise, *entitled Popery always ye same,* of ye Continuation of ye Persecution of ye Protestants in ye South of France

11 Agreed, that ye said Acct be publish'd in one of ye Daily, & also in one of ye Evening Papers.

12 The Comee reported to ye Society a Message sent by the Executors of Dr Carter's Will

13 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be returned to Dr Carter's Executors, & that They be acquainted that ye Society is willing to receive so much of the Legacy left by Dr Carter as

as they are in readiness to pay, & that They be
further desir'd to agree with the Heir at Law
concerning ye real Estate upon ye best terms
They can get.

14 The Society being inform'd that a
Gentleman had been at their house to treat
with them about ye Rent or sale of their Chambers in ye Temple

15 Agreed that Mr Watts do treat wth him
in behalf of ye Society, & that he be empowr'd
either to let their Chambers at £12 p Ann
or dispose of them for Sixty Pounds

16 Order'd that Mr Watts in ye Absence
of Dr Denne do pay ye Carpenters Bill
for Repairs done to ye said Chambers amounting to 17..12..0

17. Letters were read from Dr Bowtell
Mr White at Nayland, Mr Barter at Exeter
Mr Tucker at Bristol Mr Ellis at Holyhead,
Mr Wooley at Northampton Mr Blundell at
Liverpool, Mr White at Stratford Mr Dod at
London, Dr Stonehouse at Northampton, Mr
Talbot at Cambridge 15 Decemr 1746

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 23 Dec. 1746
Pres. Mr Sydenham, Mr
Thorold

Dr Wilson, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Dobree Senr, Mr Dalbiac, Mr Berriman,

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye absence of Sr Jn Philipps

1 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to The Rt Honble The Countess of Huntingdon for a further Present of 200 Prints of Past. Aaron, & that They be sent to ye Missionaries at Tranquebar, agreeably to Her Ladyship's Intentions

2 The Comee being inform'd that the Society for Propagation of ye Gospel in Foreign Parts had at ye desire of Dr Carter's Executors, appointed three of their Members to assist Them in treating wth ye Heir at Law about ye Landed Estate left by ye Doctor between the two Societys:

3 Agreed that it be recommended to this Society at their next Meeting, to appoint three of their Members, to lend ye like Assistance on their Part.

4 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday ye 13th Jany, & that ye Society be sumon'd to meet on that Day.

5. Agreed that ye Secrys do dispatch ye necessary Business during ye Adjournmt.

Letters

6 Letters were read from Mr Parson at Bedingham, Mr Perronet at Shoreham Mr Pages at Farmboro', Mr Brown at Tavistock Mr Jones at Alconbury Mr White 1746

At a Meeting of the Society }

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 13th January 1746/7.

Prest Dr Jenner, Mr Hasting Mr Thorold, Mr Smalbroke, Dr Cartwright, Mr Dawson Mr Venn Mr Wilson, Col. Hudson, Dr Wilson Dr Green, Mr Sydenham, Mr Ravaud

Dr Jenner in ye Chair in ye Absence of Sr Jno Philip

1 Dr Hartley of Bath having sent as a Present to ye Society 12 Copies of a Tract, entitl'd, The Nature & Necessity of Catechising: by a Divine of the Church of England &ca

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Socie be return'd to Dr Hartley for his Present

3 Agreed likewise that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to Mr Thorold for 50 Copies of a farther Account of ye Circulating Welch Charity Schools, from Michas 1745 to Michas 1746.

4. The Revd Mr Wm Gibson, Rector of

of St Botolph Bishopsgate, propos'd
by Dr Cartwright & Mr Watts was chose
a Subscribing Member of ye Society
And The Revd Mr Wm Evans Master
of the Free Grammer School in Wyndham
Norfolk, recommended by Mr Parsons
of Bedingham was chose a Corresponding
Member

5 Order'd that ye Secry do ac-
quaint ye abovemention'd Gentlemen
with such Choice

6 Agreed that 300 Copies of
the Soldiers Monitor be given to Col.
Hudson, & that he be desir'd to dispose
of them among ye Soldiers in Flanders

7 The Society consider'd ye Motion
made by Dr Carters Executors ——

8 Agreed that Mr Edwards
Mr Whithorne & Mr Berriman or
any two of them be desir'd to Assist ye
Executors in treating wth ye Heir at Law
about obtaining such part of ye Drs
Landed Estate, as was left to ye Society.

G D
Mr Huysh 1.1.0

9 A Letter was read from The Revd
Mr Huysh at Clisthydon Devon 10th
Jany with a Bill enclos'd value 7.1.10
£ 6.0.10 of wch sum are to pay for Books, &
£ 1.1.0 is a Benefaction to ye General Designs
of ye Society.

10 Another Letter was read from

N.B. The Rev. Mr. Arnold of Burton Lincoln

Sundries 10th Jany. wth a Bill enclos'd value 5.10.0. 3.4.3

2.4.6. of wch sum are for Books, & 2.4.6 Benefaction

from some Gentlemen towards Printing a new Impression of Welch Bibles.

11 Dr. Jenner according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

12. Letters were read from Mr. Barter at Exeter, Dr. Hartley at Bath, Mr. Swinton at Knutsford, Mr. Arnold at Burton Mr. Wilson at Westmeston Mr. Lord at Wilmingto Mr. Perronet at Shoreham Mr. Chappelow at Hormead, Mr. Ault at Arlsey 1746—

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 20th January 1746/7

Present Dr. Denne, Mr. Church, Mr. Thorold, Mr. Dawson, Dr. Bearcroft, Mr. Newey, Mr. Dobree, Senr. Sir John Philipps Mr. Sydenham

Mr. Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr. Jenner

1 — The undermention'd Benefactions were reported by Dr. Denne, viz.

To the General Designs

Decr. 6 Recd. of the Revd. Dr. Jno. Newcome Dean of Rochester } 3..3..0

To the Welch Bible

	th		
July	14	Recd. of Baldwyn Duppa Esqr. of Hollingborne, Kent	1.1.0
Sepr.	25.	A Clergyman Unknown by The Revd. Muriel of Maidstone	2.2.0
Octr.	2	A Lady Unknown by Ditto	5.5.0
		Revd. Mr. Edm. Barrell Prebendy. of Rochester	5.5.0
		Revd. Dr. Jno. Newcome Dean of Rochester	1.1.0
		£	14.14.0

To the Welch Bible paid to Messrs. Hoare & Co.

July	11.	A Person Unknown	2.2.0
	15.	Sir Ralph Ashton Bart.	20.0.0
		Revd. Sir Jno. Dalben Bart.	5.5.0
	17	Rt. Revd. The Ld. Bp of Chester	3.3.0
	19	A Person Unknown of pennyps.	0.2.6
		T. H.	1.1.0
	22	Mr. Stukely	5.5.0
	23	Sir Rowland Hill Bart.	3.3.0
		A Person unknown	1.1.0
	29.	A Society of Clergyman meeting at Boston Lincolnsd.	8.7.6
Augt.	14	Edward Godfrey Esqr.	1.1.0
	26	A Person Unknown	0.5.0
Sepr.	3.	Ditto	0.10.6
	8	Ditto	0.10.6
	16	J. M.	1.1.0
		Mrs. Margaret Woodgate	1.1.0
	25.	Mr. Sam Norris	1.1.0
Octr.	2	Mrs. Eliz. Dobson	1.1.0
	6	A Person Unknown	1.1.0
	14	Ditto	5.5.0
	23	A Lady unknown at Chester	2.2.0
		Carrd. Over £	64.9.0

Brot. Over £64..9..0

	E. R.	0..5..0
Novr. 3	Mr. Munday	23..0..0
7	Charles Jennings Junr. Esqr.	30..0..0
14.	A Collection at Stoney Stratford Bucks	0.13..6
	J. W.	1.1.0
	B. N.	1..1..0
Decr. 11	Rt. Honble. Hen. Lord Coleraine	5.0.0
	Mrs. Sarah Dunch	5.5.0
	Mrs. Eliz. Dunch	2..2..0
15.	E. L.	1.1.6
	Revd. Dr. Parker	1.1.0
	Revd. Mr. Douglas	1.1.0
	Revd. Mr. Lloyd	2..2.0
	Revd. Dr. Sharpe	1..1.0
	Revd. Mr. Keen	1.1.0
	Revd. Mr. Thorpe	1.1.0
	The Revd. Dean & Chapter of Durha	5.5.0
	Collected in ye Town of Stockton	4..7.0
	Revd. Mr. Gamage Rector of Sedgfield Durham	2..2..0
	By a Blank Ticket from a Lady Unknown	5..12..6
	Sum Total of Benefactions to ye Welch Bible as reported by M. a. Dr. Denne	173..5.6

At the same Time, the Secry. paid the undermentiond Benefactions to Dr. Denne, viz

To the General Designs

From the Revd. Mr. Doughty Minist. of St. James's Clerkenwell, at Admission	1.1..0

Bro.t Over £	1.. 1.. 0
A Lady desiring to be unkno	1.. 1.. 0
A Clergyman D.o Both Benefactions remitted by Mr Tucker of Bristol	1.. 1.. 0
Rev. Mr Waring Lecturer of St Mildred in ye Poultry	1.. 1.. 0
Rev.d Mr Lord of Wilmington in Sussex at Admiss.n	3.. 3.. –
Rich.d Wilson Esq.r Recorder of Leeds Yorks.r	5.. 5.. –
£	12.. 12.. 0

To the Welch Bible

	From the Rev.d Mr Frost	5.. –
N.B.	Rev.d Mr Parsons	5.. 6
	Mrs Cowper by Ditto	5.. –
	Mr Wilson of Westmeston in Sussex	1.. 1.. –
	Right Hon.ble Lady Viscountess Windsor by hands of the Lord Bp of Glocester	21.. –.. –
	£	22.. 16.. –

Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd to ye several Benefact.rs

Mess.rs Bloss & Johnson deliver'd a Bill for Paper for ye Welch Bible amounting to 69.. 17.. 3

And Mr Oliver brought in One Bill of 2.. 10.. 0 for Half a Years Rent of a Warehouse for the Society's Stores due at Christmas & another Bill of 1.. 10.. 0 for binding 100 Lewis's Catechism

Agreed that Mr A.D. Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bills

Letters were read from Mr Talbot at Cambridge, Mr Bourdillon in Spital Fields Mr Harrison at Cirencester Glocestersr 17 Jan Mr Wilson at Cocking in Sussex 17 Jany 1746.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 27 Jany 1746

Pres.t Sir Jno Philipps, Mr Sydenham, Mr Thorold, Mr Albinus Mr Dawson, Mr Ziegenhagen, Dr Wilson Mr Dobree Senr.

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in the Absence of Dr Jenner

1 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Southern of Carrington, Salop, dated 19th Inst, with a Bill enclos'd Value 3.. 11.. 0 of which Sum 8s are for Books: One Guinea a Benefaction to the Protestant Working Schools in Ireland, & ye other two Guineas a Contribution towards ye General Designs of the Society.

2 Sir John Philipps reported that he had waited on the Bishop of St Davids, with a request that His Lordship would be pleas'd to preach ye Sermon at the next yearly Meeting of the Children Educated in ye Charity Schools, in & about ye Cities of London & Westm & that His Ldship had consented to undertake that kind Office.

3 Agreed that it be recommended to ye Society that a List of the Preachers from ye beginning to ye Xtian & Surnames of ye Bishops be for ye future annex'd to ye Anniversy

Ser

4 The Revd. Mr White of Holton having sent 100 Copies of his Tract agains Stealing, as a Present to ye Society.

5 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Soci be returned for the same.

6 Letters were read from Mr Butjenter 22 Jany. Mr Crews at Mixon Staffords. 19 Jany. Mr Southern at Cardington Salop 19 Jany. Mr Bowyer at Martock Somersets. 19 Jany. Mr Vaughan at Leominster Herefords. Mr Fenwick at Hallaton Leicesters. 24 Janry. Mr Whithorne in ye Temple, Mr Edwards Bedford Row Mr Archer in Warwick Court 1746.

Bartlets Buildgs.

Tuesday 3d **Febr.**y 1746/7

Prest. Dr Denne, Dr Wilson Mr Thorold, Mr Smallbroke, Mr White, Mr Bourdillon,

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Dr Jenner.

1 Dr Wilson reported ye following Benefactions towards Printing a New Impression of Bibles in ye Welch Language collected by The Revd. Mr Birch at Dover.

W B

Sundries 42 —

Mr Vincent Underdown of Dover.	1.1.0
Mr Wm. Minet Mercht. of Dover.	1.1.–
Jno. Matson Esqr. of Ditto	1.1.–
Carrd. Over £	3.3.–

Brot. Over £ 3„3„0

Col. Richd Collingbery of	Dover	0„10„6
Captt Jno Dalglish of	Ditto	1„1„0
Captt Cuthbert Hodgson	Ditto	1„1„0
Mr Richd Rouse	Ditto	0„10„6
Mrs Jane Bryan	Ditto	1„1„0
Mr Thos Bean	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Robt Walker	Ditto	0„5„0
Revd Mr Omer	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Robt Alston	Ditto	1„1„0
Mr Thos Broadley	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Peter Fector	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Isaac Sampson	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Thos Knight	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr William Lane	Ditto	0„5„0
Mr Alex: Wellard	Ditto	0„10„6
A Gentleman of Dover desiring to be unknown		0„10„6
Mr James Hammond of	Ditto	0„5„0
Mr Jno Broadley	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr James Goldfrap	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Ste: Temple	Ditto	0„5„0
Mr Nat: Smith	Ditto	0„10„6
A Gentlemn of Dover desiring to be unknown		0„10„6
Mr Phineas Stringer	Ditto	0„10„6
Captt Alex: Ridley	Ditto	0„10„6
Mr Jno Bromsall	Ditto	0.10„6
Capt Jno Balderston	Ditto	0.10„6
Mr Richd Dawkes	Ditto	0.10.6
Mr Monins Hollingbery	Ditto	0.10„6
Mr David Sutton	Ditto	0„5„0
Mr Goddard Gay	Ditto	0 10„6
Mr Jos: Moyne	Ditto	0„5.0
Mr Edwd Goodwyn	Ditto	0„5„0

Card Over £ 20„2„6

Brot. Over £	20.2.6
Mr. Thos. Walker of Dover	0.5.0
Mr. Rooth Colbran Ditto	0.5.0
Mr. Wellard —— Ditto	0.5.0
Mr. Jno. Sauree —— Ditto	0.5.0
Mr. Thos. Marsh —— Ditto	0.5.–
Mr. Wm. Pilcher —— Ditto	0.10.6
Mr. Geo: Stringer —— Ditto	0.5.–
Mrs. Eliz: Lamb of Do. Wido.	1.1.–
Capt. Jno. Bazeley —— Ditto	0.10.6
Mr. Jos: Wickes —— Ditto	0.10.6
Mrs. Golder —— Ditto	0.5.–
Col. Edwd. Legard —— Ditto	1.1.–
Capt. Jacob Rouse —— Ditto	0.5.–
Mr. Thos. Hatton —— Ditto	0.2.6
A Clergyman & others desiring to be Unknown ——	1.11.6
Revd. Mr. Jno. Minet Rectr. of Eythorne ——	1.1.–
Revd. Mr. Clarke of Hith ——	0.10.6
Revd. Mr. Smith of Siberts Would	0.10.6
A Gentn. of Deal desiring to be Unknown ——	0.10.6
Ditto —— of Ditto	0.10.6
James Carr Esqr. of Deal	1.1.–
Revd. Julius Deeds. Preby. of Canterbury ——	1.1.–
Mrs. Deeds ——	0.10.6
Revd. Mr. Sackette of Folkston	0.10.6
A Clergyman of Hyth ——	2.2.–
Mr. Thos. Hoyle of Deal ——	0.10.6
Revd. Mr. Isaac Johnson of Canterbury ——	1.1.–
Hum: Pudner Esqr. of Canterbury by the Revd. Mr. Johnson	1.1.–
Carr. Over £	38.10.6

Brot Over £	38.10.6
Revd Mr Jones of Upper Hardress by the Revd Mr Johnson	1.16.0
Jno Bridger Esqr of Canterbury by Do	0.10.6
Mr Aldermn Davies of Do by Do	0.5.0
Mrs Randolph of Deal by Mr Hoyle	0.10.6
Mrs Underdown & Knight of Deal by Ditto	0.7.6
£	42.0.0

G. D.
unknown
5.5.0
W. B.
Mr Huggit
1.1.–
Mr Welles
1.1.–
Mrs De La Bere
1.1.–

2 Mr Thorold reported from The Revd Dr Hales a Benefaction of Five Guineas to the General Designs from a Gentlewoman desiring to be unknown, & from Mr Nicolas Trevanion the following Benefactions towards the New Impression of Welch Bibles, viz

From the Revd Mr Huggit of Eton	1.1.0
Revd Mr Welles of Prestbury Gloucestersh	1.1.0
Mrs Grace De la Bere	1.1.0

G. D.
Mr Barter. 2:2:0
Mr Hughyard. 2:2:0
W. B
Dr Wynn 10.10–
Mr Perronet 4.4–

3 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd the undermention'd Benefactions & paid them to the Treasurers, viz

To Mr A. D. Denne

On Acct of the Genl Designs

From the Revd Mr Barter Rect of St Mary Steps, Exon	2.2.0
Revd Mr Hughyard Rect of Ashton Devon	2.2.0

To Do for the Welch Bible

From Dr Wynn Chancell. of Hereford	10.10.0
Revd Mr Perronet Vicar of Shoreham in Kent	4.4.0

E. I. M.
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Mrs Lloyd 2.2.
Lady Coch 2.2
Miss Clarke 5.5.
Mr Peronet 5.5.

To Mr Hoare on Acct of the East India Mission

4 From Mrs Lloyd of ye Salt Office 2.2.
The Lady of Chr. Coch Esqr of Covent Garden } 2.2.
Miss Duriah Clarke of Shoreham } 5.5.
Revd Mr Perronet Vicr of Shoreham in Kent } 5.5.

5 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to ye respective Benefactors

6 Mr A. D. Smalbroke according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

7 The Revd Mr Glocester Ridley Minister of Poplar, propos'd by Dr Berriman, & Mr Thorold was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society: & The Rev Mr Wm Bunbury Vicar of Brampton in Huntingdonsr proposed by Dr Jenner was chose a Corresponding Member

8 Order'd that the Secry do acquaint ye above mention'd Gentlemen wth such Choice.

W. B.
Unknown
5.5.

9 A Gentleman called whilst ye Board was sitting & paid by ye Secretary to Mr A. D. Denne Five Guineas towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles being a Benefaction from a Person unknown.

10 Agreed that an Annual Packet of Books & Tracts be sent to The Revd Mr Punderson at Grotton in New England & a like Packet to the Revd Mr Jones at Bona-vista in Newfoundland

11 Agreed that the Minutes of last Tuesday about Printing a List of the Preachers at the end of the Anniversary Sermon be confirmed

12. Letters were read from Mr. Pennington at Huntingdon Mr. Smythies at Colchester, Mr. Perronet at Shoreham, Dr. Chapman at Mersham, Mr. Harrison at Cirencester, Mr. Sunderson at Grotton in N. England, Mr. Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia 3 Novemr. 1746.

Bartlet's Buildgs.

Tuesday 10 Febry 1746

At a Special Meeting of the Society

Present Mr. A.D. Smalbroke Dr. Denne, Dr. Wilson, Mr. Ferrell, Mr. Worthington, Mr. Thorold, Mr. Cattius, Mr. Bourdillon, Mr. Dawson Mr. Nicolson, Mr. Sydenham Dr. Cartwright Mr. Albinus Mr. Hoare, Mr. Newey Mr. Berriman Dr. Berriman Mr. Whithorne Dr. Cobden Mr. Dalbiac Dr. Robinson Dr. Bearcroft

Mr. A.D. Smalbroke in the Chair

1 . Mr. Hoare reported that he had receiv'd Twenty Pounds from the Rt. Honble. The Lord Digby, being his Lordships Benefaction to the General Designs, & had paid ye same to Mr. A.D. Denne

G.D.
Lord Digby
20.–

2 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd ye following Benefactions, & paid them to Mr. A.D. Denne.

54 G.D.

To the General Designs

Mr Huyshe . 1.1.– | From the Revd Mr Fran: Huyshe of Clisthydon Devon } 1.1.–

Mr Southern . 2:2.– | Revd Mr Southern Vic. of Cardington Salop } 2.2.–

W.B.

To the Welch Bible

Sundries . 2.4.6 | Several Gentlemen, by the hands of the Revd Mr Arnold of Burton Lincolnse } 2.4.6

Unknown 1.1.– | A Clergyman desiring to be unknown by Ditto } 1.1.–

3 Orderd that the Thanks of ye Society be return'd to ye respective Benefrs

4 Mr Sydenham inform'd ye Society, that he was desired to give them ye Thanks of the Trustees of ye Charity Schools, for their past favours to ye said Schools, & to desire ye Continuance of them.

G.D. Unknown 3.3.– | 5 Dr Bearcroft paid to Mr A.D. Denne the Sum of 3.3.0 being a Benefaction to the General Designs of ye Society from a Person unknown, remitted by the Revd Mr Taylor of Clifton near Bristol

6. Mr Whitthorne & Mr Berriman having given an Acct of an Agreement made between them & Mr Edwards in behalf of ye Society & ye Heir at Law of ye late Dr Carter, relating to a Legacy left to this Society by the said Dr Carter & ye Articles of ye said Agreement having been read to ye Society, ye same were approv'd and confirm'd

7 Orderd that ye said Agreement be enter'd in ye Book of Extracts of Wills.

8. Dr Denne reported that ye Executrs of Dr Carter had transferr'd 295.5.11

in New South Sea Annuitys to him & Messrs Hoare & Hastings Treasurers of this Society as also 110 Bank Stock: Both which he had Accepted this Day, by Letter of Attorney, in his own & their Names.

9 The Society desir'd Mr Parr, who gave his Company at ye Board, to accept their Thanks for ye quick Dispatch he had made in the affair of Dr Carter's Legacy & for his good Offices therein & desir'd him to make their Acknowledgments of the like favour to Mr Archer & Mr Carter

10 Letters were read from Mr Brown at Tavistock 3 Febry, Dr Cobden at London Mr Bethell at Owsden 3 Febry Mr Ellis at Holyhead 5 Febr 7. Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia 9 June 1746

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 17 Febr. 1746/7

Presnt Dr Wilson, Mr Sydenham Mr Burgentler, Mr Dawson Mr Ferrel, Mr Thorold, Mr Bree

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr A.D. Smalbroke

1 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Cotter of Collingham with a Bill drawn upon Thos Leech Esqr at Staple Inn for 7.0.1¾ to pay for a Packet of Books.

G.D. Mr Ridley 1.1.0

2 The Revd Mr Ridley giving his Company at the Board Subscribd to promote the Society's Designs & gave a Guinea at his Admission for which ye Commee desir'd him to accept their Thanks

Mr

W. Bs
Unknown
0: 10: 6

3 Mr Thorold paid to Mr Watts for Dr Denne half a Guinea, being a Benefaction to the Welch Bibles from a Gentleman Unknown, thro' the hands of the Revd Mr Ward of Kensington.

4 Mr Ferrett having propos'd to pay a Sum of Money to ye Society, the Produce of which he desires may be applie Annually towards purchasing Bibles Com: Prayer books &c on the Terms of ye Society, & be sent to Bradford in Wilts.

5 Agreed that the said Proposal be referr'd to ye Consideration of ye Society.

G. D.
Mr Gibson
1.1.0

6 The Revd Mr Gibson Subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr Watts in ye Absence of Mr Arch Deacon Denne, as his Benefaction at Admission, for wch the Comee gave him their Thanks

7 Messrs Bloss & Johnson having given in a Bill for Paper for ye Welch Bible, amounting to 110. 13. 6 deliver'd 14 Novr last.

8 Agreed that Mr A.D. Denne be desir'd to pay ye said Bill

9 Letters were read from Mr Harris at Stonehouse 1 Febry Mr Stanley at Leverpoole 8 Febry, Mr Potter at Collingham 14 Febry, Mr Verelst at Westmr 12 Febry. Mr Whithorne in ye Temple 17 Febry Mr Arnold at Burton. Mr Birch at Dover 13 Febry 1746/7

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 24 ~~March~~ Febry 1746/7

Presᵗ Dʳ Jenner, Mʳ Cowper Mʳ Bunbury, Mʳ Ferrett, Mʳ Hetherington, Mʳ Sydenham, Dʳ Bearcroft Mʳ Pittius, Mʳ Dobree Mʳ Stockwell.

Dʳ Jenner in yᵉ Chair in the Absence of Mʳ A.D. Smalbroke

1 The Secretary reported that he had receivd yᵉ undermentiond Benefactions remitted by The Revᵈ Mʳ Fenwick of Hallaton & paid them to Mʳ A.D. Denne viz.

2 To the General Designs

G.D. Sundries 16.13.6

From Lady Palmer of Carelton Northamptonshire	1.1.0
The Revᵈ Mʳ Thoˢ Roberts	1.1.0
Mʳˢ Hester Palmer	0.10.6
Mʳˢ Carte	1.1.0
Three Gentlemen Unknown	3.3.0
Two Ladies Ditto	2.2.0
Mʳˢ Parker	1.11.6
Mʳˢ Bewick	3.0.0
A Person unknown	1.1.0
Revᵈ Mʳ Fenwick	2.2.0
£	16.13.6

3 To yᵉ Welch Bible

W.B. Sundries 6.0.6

Mʳˢ Hester Palmer	10.6
Mʳˢ Fraser	5.0
Mʳˢ Jackson	10.6
Mʳˢ Carte	10.6
A Gentleman Unknown	1.1.0
Three Dᵒ Ditto	3.3.0
£	6.0.6

W: B. / Unknown / 1.1.0

4 At the same time ye Secry paid One Guinea towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles, being the Benefaction of a Person unknown thro' ye hands of the Lord Bishop of St Davids.

G. D. / Mr Bunbury / 1.1.0.

5 The Revd Mr Bunbury giving his Company at ye Board, subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs & desir'd their Acceptance of a Guinea at his Admission wch was paid to Mr A. Dc Denne

W. B. / Mrs Lovesey / 1.1.0.

6 Mr Bunbury paid into ye same hands a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Welch Bible from Mrs Lovesey of Brampton in Huntingdonsre.

W. B. / Rd Taunton Esqr. / 1.1.0.

7 At the same time Mr A. Dc Denne receiv'd a Guinea from Mr Dobree, being a Benefaction to ye same good work from Richd Taunton Esqr in Hampshire

8 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to ye several Benefactors.

9 Mr Hetherington taking Notice of ye Prodigious Increase of Popery and how busy ye Emissaries of the Church of Rome ~~that~~ are promoting it ~~of ye Church of Rome~~, moved that in ye last Collect us'd by ye Society before they begin Business, after ye words Atheism ~~instead of~~ & Infidelity, be inserted, ~~Infidelity &~~ Popery.

10 Agreed Unanimously to recommend this Addition in ye Prayers to ye Consideration of ye Society.

11 Letters were read from Mr Jackson at Addle Yorksre 20 Febry Mr Wilson at Coching 21 Febry, Mr Dobree at London Mr Colier at Lausanne 7 Febry 1746/7

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 4th March 1746/7

Prest. Mr Bulgenter, Mr Bunbury, Dr Jenner, Mr Hastings, Dr Denne, Mr Newey, Mr Thorold Mr Vernon, Mr Ridley, Dr Wilson Mr Bourdillon, Dr Robinson, Mr Berriman, Mr Worthington, Mr Thornton, Mr Townshend Mr Albinus Mr Dalbiac, Mr Canham

Mr AD Denne in the Chair, in ye absence of Mr AD Smalbroke

W.B Unknown 21...... 1 The Secry reported that he recd. by a private hand, a Benefaction of Twenty Guineas towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles, & had paid ye same to Mr AD Denne.

2 Mr Ridley according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing.

3 Mr Nicolas Trevanion of Windsor recommended by Mr Thorold was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society And the Revd Mr Howlet Vic. of Rampton Nottinghamsr was chose a Corresponding Member.

4 Order'd that the Secry do acquaint ye above Gentlemen with such Choice

W B Sr Wm Wentworth 5..5— 5 Mr AD Denne reported that he had recd a Benefaction of Five Guineas to ye Welch Bible, from Sr Wm Wentworth Bart

6. Order'd that ye Society's Thanks be sent to ye Benefactor.

7 The Society approv'd of Mr Ferrett's Proposal as mentioned in ye Minutes of the 17 Feby

&

and agreed to allow him Interest for ye Sum he shall Deposit at 5 ⅌ Cent.

8 The Society likewise agreed to Mr Hetherington's Motion, concerning ye Addition propos'd to be made in ye Prayers us'd by ye Society at their Meetings.

9 Agreed that Dr Wilson Dr Bearcroft, Sr Jn Philipps, Mr Thorold, Mr Sydenham Mr Bewick, Mr Newey, Mr Torriano, Mr Gosling, Mr Dobree Senr Mr Thornton & Mr Townshend or any three of Them be a Comee for Auditing ye Society's Accounts.

10 Letters were read from Mr Crossman at Sudbury, 12 Febry, Mr Perronet at Shoreham 27 Febry, Mr Parry at Shipston 18 Febry, Mr Kershaw at Coningsby, 18 Febry Dr Stonehouse at Northampton, 25 Febry Mr Haddon at Warrington 14 Febry, Mr Drake at Swinderby Mr Evans at Windham, Mr Leman at Kirkstead 12 Febry 1746/7

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 10th Mar: 1746

Prest Mr Ridley Mr Lord, Mr Edwards, Mr Thorold Mr Trevanion Dr Cartwright, Mr Ferrett, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Canham, Mr Ravaud Mr Albinus,

Mr Ridley in ye Chair

Mr

WB 1 Mr. Edwards giving his Company at ye board, paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Mr.
Mr Edwards 5.5.– A.D. Denne a Benefaction of 5 Guineas toward
ye Impreſsion of Welch Bibles for wch ye Comee
desir'd Mr Edwards to accept their Thanks.

2 Mr. A.D. Denne coming in before the Comee broke up, ye above Benefaction was pai
into his hands.

3 The Secry paid at ye same time to Mr.
WB Sundries 3.2.6. A.D. Denne ye undermention'd Benefactions to
the Welch Bible, viz

From a Gentleman near Midhurst	1.1.0
A Gentleman & 3 Young Gentlewomen	15.6
A Clergyman near Petworth in Suſsex	1.1.0
Another Clergyman	5.0
	3.2.6

Which Benefactions were remitted by The Rev.
Mr Wilson of Coching near Midhurst in Suſsex.

G.D. 4 Mr. Trevanion giving his Company at
Mr Trevanion 1.7.0. the Board Subscribed to promote ye Society's
Designs, & desir'd their Acceptance of a Moidore
as his Benefaction at Admiſsion wch was pd.
to Mr A.D. Denne & ye Comee's Thanks given
to Mr Trevanion for his Benefaction

G.D. 5 Mr. Trevanion paid into ye same hands a
Mr Welles 1.1.0. Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Genl. Designs
from the Revd. Mr Welles of Prestbury in Glo

6 Ordered that 50 Copies of ye Childs
Christian Education presented to ye Society by
the Revd. Dr Thomlinson, be bound, for the use
of

of the Masters & Mistresses of the Charity Schools pursuant to a request from the Trustees.

7 Mr Edwards reported that the Securities &c. were agreed to be given by Mr Samuel Carter the Heir at Law of Dr Carter were given to Dr Carter's Executors according to ye Agreement, & that ye said Exors had advanced & paid thereupon the Sum of 500£ according to ye said Agreement, of wch Interest was to commence from 20 May next, & ye said 500£ is to be paid ye 30 January following if not paid sooner, by ye Money to be raised by Sale of the Estates.

8 Letters were read from Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 2d March, Mr White at Nayland 5 March, Dr Wilson at London 10 March, Mr Cook at Edmonton 2d March 1747.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 17th Mar: 1746

Prest Dr Denne Dr Wilson Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson Mr Trevanion, Revd Mr Lord Mr Dobree Senr.

Mr A D Denne in the Chair in ye Absence of Mr Ridley

1 The Secretary reported that he had recd the undermentioned Benefactions & paid them to Mr A D Denne viz.

To ye General Designs

From The Revd Mr Collins of St Erth in Cornwell } 1..1..—

G.D. Sundries 2.12.6	Revd Mr Drake Vicr of Swinderby Lincolnsr		1.1.0
	Revd Mr Dalton by hand of Mr Drake		0.10.6
2	To the Welch Bible		
W.B. Sundries 2.2.0.	Mr Alderman Drake of Lincoln		1.1.0
	Revd Mr Drake		1.1.0

3 Mr A.Dn Denne reported that Mr Andrews had paid to him One years Rent for Lands in Romney Marsh, bequeath'd to ye Society by the late Mr Belke.

	One years Rent		9.0.0
Deduction	Kings Tax	1.4.0	
	Quit Rent	10.4	
	Scotts	17.9	
		2.12.1	
	Remains due		6.7.11

Letters were read from Mr Cawthorne at Tunbridge, Mr Trevanion at Windsor, Dr Wilson at London, Mr Stanley at Bury 9 March.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 24 March 1746

Prest Mr Ridley, Dr Wilson, Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Trevanion, Mr Warcopp, Mr Cooper, Mr Berriman, Sr Jno Philipps, Mr Chapman

Mr Ridley in the Chair

1 W.B. Mrs Johnson 10:6 G.D. 10:6. Mr Berriman paid to ye Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne Half a Guinea for the General Designs, & half a Guinea to the Welch Bible being the Benefactions of Mrs Sarah Johnson

She

E. I. M^{2}
Unknown 2.2.0

The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & paid to Mr Hoare two Guineas for ye East India Mission, being ye Benefaction of a Clergyman near Midhurst in Sussex, who desires to be Unknown by ye hands of the Rev. Mr Wilson of Cocking

W. B.
Sundries
11.1.0

3 The Secry further reported that he had receiv'd ye following Benefactions to the Welch Bibles viz

From Mr J. H.	1.1.–
Do for a Person desiring to be unknown	10.0.–
	£11.1.0

4 Letters were read from Mr Baldwyn at Manchester, Mr White at Neyland, Mr Hyde at Heath, Mr Allen at Kettering, Mr Davies at Beverly Mr Usher at Bristol in New England Mr Vaughan at Lempster 18 Mar: 1746/7

Bartlet's Buildgs

Tuesday 31 Mar: 1747.

Prest Mr Thorold Mr Sydenham, Mr Hastings Mr Trevanion, Mr Albinus Mr Canham, Mr Church Mr Ferrett, Mr Berriman

Mr Thorold in the Chair in ye absence of Mr Ridley

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1 The Secretary reported that he had received Ten Pounds from The Lord Bp of Oxford towards the Releasing of Poor Debtors out of Prison, being a Benefaction for that Purpose from a Person desiring to be Unknown.

Prisons
10:0:0

2. A Letter was read from The Revd. Mr Salwey at Worcester dated 27 Inst. with a Bill upon Mr Vernon at a Druggists in Newgate Street for Six Guineas. Of wch Sum Two Guineas are for his Subscription to this Society, two Guineas for The Society for Propagation of the Gospel, & Two Guineas for ye Circulating Welch Charity Schools

3 Letters were read from Mr Hatfield at Lilley, Bp of Oxford, Mr Morgan at Wint Mr Wilson at Cocking, Mr Perkins at Cambridg Mr Morant at Colchester, Mr Salwey at Worcester

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Bartlets Building

Tuesday 7th April 1747.

Presᵗ. Mr A.D. Denne, Mr Thorold, Mr Trevanion, Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Butjenter, Mr Cawley, Mr Ferrett, Mr Bourdillon Mr Doughty, Mr Edwards, Mr Sydenham, Mr Gray Dr Green Mr Albinus Mr Warcopp, Mr Whithorne.

Mr A.D. Denne in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Ridley.

1. The Secry reported that he had paid to Mr A.D. Denne, ye Benefactions to ye Genera

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Designs, & to ye Welch Bible, mentiond in ye Minutes of 24 March, as also ye under-mentiond Benefactions receivd since, viz.

G.D.
Sundries
6.11.0

To ye General Designs

From Mrs Lovesey, by ye hands of The Rev.d Mr Bunbury Vic.r of Brampton Huntingdons.e	1.1.–
Rev.d Mr Wm Evans of Wymdham Norf.	0.10.
Rev.d Mr Hatfield of Lilley Herts	1.1.–
Chr: Goulton by Mr Alderman Davies of Beverley	1.1.–
Rev.d Mr Mease by Ditto	0.10.0
Rev.d Mr Clarke by Ditto	1.1.–
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown by Ditto	0.5.–
Mrs Hyde of Beverley	0.10
Rev.d Mr Alken by Mr Parker	0.10.0
	£ 6.11.–

W.B. 2

To ye Welch Bible

Sundries 5.

Rev.d Mr Wm Pierce p hands of the Rev.d Mr Parsons of Bedinghā Norfolk	–.5.–

3 The Secry further reported that he had rec.d & paid to Mr Hoare 5 Guineas being a Benefaction to ye East Ind.a Mission from Mr George Scullard in London.

E.I.M
Mr Scullard
5.5.–

4 Mr A.D. Denne reported that he had rec.d the following Benefactions which had been paid into ye hands of Sr Joseph Hankey & Co viz

G.D.
Mr Dunstar
10:10:0.

5 To the General Designs

From Wm Dunstar Esqr of Layton Stone Essex	10.10

6 To the Welch Bible

W B
Sundries
19. 8. 6.

Wm Dunstar Esqr	1. 1. 0
J Dorrington	1. 1. 0
R. Wastfield	3. 3. 0
Jas: Chitty	2. 2. 0
A Person desiring to be Unknown	1. 1. 0
R. Salwey Esqr of ye Moor Salop	2. 2. 0
H Salwey Esqr of Elton Herefords	1. 11. 6
A Person desiring to be Unknown	1. 1. 0
J Davidson Esqr	1. 1. 0
J Wicket	2. 2. 0
£	19. 8. 6

7 Mr A D Denne further reported that he had receiv'd of Mr Hoare ye following Benefactions to ye same charitable Design, viz

W B
1. 11. 6

From a Person desiring to be Unknown	1. 1. 0
Rev Mr Alken	0. 10. 6

W B
Mr Hervey
7. 7. 0.

8 Mr Thorold paid to Mr A D Denne 7 Guineas, being a Benefaction to ye Welch Bible from the Revd Mr Hervey Junr of Weston Northamp

W B
Mr Simon
10: 10: 0.

9 Mr Bourdillon paid into ye same hands for ye like good Design a Benefaction of Ten Guineas from Mr James Cleopas Simon Merchant in London

10 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be given to ye abovementiond Benefactors

11 Mr Doughty according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

12 The Revd Mr Jno Linton Vicr of Freston near Boston in Lincolnsd propos'd by Mr Kirshaw of Coningsby. And the Revd Mr Charles Lyddell Rect of Wakehurst in Sussex, propos'd by M

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Berriman & Mr Townsend, were chose Subscribing Members of this Society. And The Revd Mr Jno Rogers of Warminster in Wilt and the Revd Mr Thos Hartley of Winwick in Northamptonsh both recommended by Mr Ferrett, were chosen Correspondg Members

13 Order'd that ye Secrys do acquain ye said Gentlemen with such Choice

14 Agreed that Saturday in Easter week be ye Day fix'd for Auditing ye Society's Accts & that proper Notice thereof be given to ye Treasurers, & Auditors

15 Agreed that ye Anniversary Meeting of ye Society be held, on Tuesday 12 May.

Gd
Mr Gray 1.1.0

16 Charles Gray Esqr giving his Company at ye Board, Subscribed to Promote the Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr A D Denne as his Benefaction at Admissn for wch the Society desir'd him to Accept their Thanks.

17 Order'd that the Thanks of this Society be given to ye Govrs of St Georgis Hospital for 25 Copies of their Annual Acct

Gd
Unknown
5——

18 Mr Thorold paid to Mr A Deacon Denne Five Pounds, as a Benefaction to ye Generall Designs being Part of ye Produc of a Legacy left for Charitable uses by a Person desiring to be Unknown

19 Agreed that ye Thanks of the Society be given to Mr Thorold for ye Benefactn

20 Agreed that Directions be given for Building ye Scaffolds at Christ Church with

with all the accomodations usual on such Occas
& that Dr Robinson & Mr Watts be desir'd to give
Orders about it.

✓21. Agreed that 5000 Hymns be Printed for
the use of the Charity Children

✓22 Agreed that ye Cambridge Com: Prayer
Nonpl be admitted upon ye Societys List, Mr
Dod having agreed to supply ye Members therewith
at Eight Pence half Penny each Book.

23 Letters were read from The Bp of Worcester
Mr Perronet at Shoreham, Mr Ward at Stulham
Mr Crews at Muxon, Mr Parsons at Bedingham
Mr Arnold at Burton, Mr Crossman at Sudbury

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 14 April 1747.

Prest Lord Bp of Bangor, Dr
Wilson, Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson

Bp of Bangor in the Chair.

✓1 Mr Watts reported from Dr Denne that
Dr Arthur St George intends ye Society a Present
of 30 Copies of his Book entitled, The Blessing
of Christian Philosophy, being a Treatise on the
Beatitudes, of wch he hopes for their favourable
Acceptance, as publish'd to ye same good Views
They are carrying on, in Promoting Christian
Knowledge & Practice.

✓2 Agreed to Accept ye same, & that
Mr Ad Denne be desir'd to return Dr St
George the Societys Thanks for the Present.

✓3 The Lord Bp of Bangor paid to Mr
Watts in the Absence of Dr Denne a Benefaction
of

G.D. Mr North 1.2.6 of £ s d 1.2.6 to the General Designs from Robt North Esqr.

2 Agreed that his Ldship be desir[d] to return ye Societys Thanks to Mr North for ye same

3 Dr Wilson reported that he had received ye following Benefactions to the Welch Bible, viz

W.B. Sundries 79.19.6

From Dr Thomas Residentiary of St Pauls	3.3.–
A Person desiring to be Unkn	50.–.–
Another Person Do	2.2.–
Mr Streatfield of Burwash by The Revd Mr Clements	1.1.–
Mr Burrel Rect. of Addistach Bucks	1.1.–
Susanna Busby	.10.6
A Person desiring to be Unknown	.10.6
From a Person Ditto towards binding ye Welch Bible to be kept in hand	20.–.–
From Mrs Fothergill	1.1.–
Mrs Mein by Mr Chrattendon	.10.6
	£79.19.6

* 4. Letters were read from Mr Postlethwaite at Denton, Mr Nairn at Battle, Bp of Oxford, Bp of Chester, Mr Parfect at Rochester 1747

* 5 Agreed that Dr Wilson be desir'd to return ye Society's Thanks to ye sd Benefact[ors]

6. Agreed to Adjourn to ye Tuesday after Easter Week, & that ye Secrys do dispatch ye necessary Business of ye Society during the Adjournment

Bartlets Building

Saturday 25 April 1747.

At a Meeting of ye Comee for Auditing the Society's Accounts

Pres.t Dr Denne, Dr Bearcro
Mr Newey, Mr Townsend Mr Bewick, Mr Thornton.

G.D.
Sundries
7.17.6

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A.D. Denne ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz

From Saml Clarke Esqr Ormond Street	5.5.–
Revd Mr Becke of Kingsteinton Devon	10.6
Revd Mr Hill by Mr Gell of Westmr	2.2.0
	£ 7.17.6

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 28 April 1747.

Pres.t Mr Thorold Dr Robinson
Mr Ferrett, Mr Pittius, Mr Warcopp

Dr Robinson in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr Doughty.

W.B.
Sundries
7.10.–

1 Mr Thorold paid to the Secry in the absence of Mr A.D. Denne ye following Benefactions to ye Impression of Welch Bibles, viz

From a Lady desiring to be Unknown by Mrs Wellman	2.2.–
A Person desiring to be unknown by the Revd Mr Talbot	5.8.–

2 Agreed that 25 Publick Housekeepers Monitor, & 25 Sermons at ye Funeral of The Earl of Rochester, be sent as a Present to The Revd Mr Parfect at Rochester

Mr

3 Mr Johnson brought a Bill for 130 Rm of Paper for the Welch Bible amounting to 76. 7. 6 deliver'd 30 Decr last.

4 Agreed that Mr A.D. Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bill.

5 The Secrys reported that Dr Bearcroft, Mr Newby Mr Bewicke Mr Thornton & Mr Townsend had attended as as a Comee for Auditing ye Treasurers Accts with the Society last Saturday, & that the same being Abstracted consisted of the following Articles, viz.

On Account of the Societys Designs in Genl

Receipts by The Revd Mr A.D. Denne, Casual Benefactrs including ye Ballance of 211. 6. 10½ due last Audit	800.15.4½
Payments for ye Societys General Designs	577.2.0½
Ballance due to the Society in ye hands of Mr A.D. Denne	£ 223.13.4

On Acct of Mrs Palmer's Legacy of 4000 Pounds

Receipts by the Revd Mr A.D. Denne	172.. ..
Paymts by Do for ye E.I. Mission	161.17.3½
Balla due to ye Society in ye hands of Mr A.D. Denne	10.2.8½

On Account of the Arabi
Impression.

Recd as p Ballance of last years Acct by the Revd Mr A. D. Denne	39.13.4½	
Payments by ——— Ditto	1.0.0	
Ballance in ye hands of Mr A. D. Denne		38.13.4½

On Acct of ye East India Mission

Recd by Benjn Hoare Esqr Casual Benefactions	32.11.0	
Payments by ——— Ditto	32.11.0	0.0.0
Receipts by H. Hastings Esqr including ye Balla of 248.10.9¼ due last Audit	673.11.0¼	
Payments by ——— Ditto	636.0.0	
Ballance due to ye Society		37.11.0½
Total of Balla due to ye Society	310.0.5¼	
Arrears of Subscribing Members to Lady day	359.2.10	
Ballance due to ye Society from their late Treasr R. Witham Esqr	188.18.2	
	£858.1.5¼	

6 Agreed that the Thanks of ye Society be given to ye Comee of Receipts & Payments for their care in keeping ye Accts of ye Society & to the Committee for Auditing the same.

7. Letters were read from Evans at Wyndham, Mr Arnold at Mortlake, Bp of Oxon, Bp of Chest Dr Osborn at Clifton, Mr Gay at Exon, Mr Parfect at Rochest

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 5 May 1747

Pres.t Lord Bp of Glocester
Dr Bearcroft, Mr Hastings
Mr Ferrett, Dr Robinson

Bp of Glocester in ye Chair

1 Dr Bearcroft according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing.

2 Paul Humfrey Esq. recommended by Mr Sydenham, & Mr Gray, was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society.

3 Order'd that ye Secrys do Acquaint him with such Choice

4 Dr Robinson reported that The Lord Bp of St Davids had preach'd an excellent Sermon, at ye Anniversary Meeting of ye Charity Children on Thursday 30 April last, & that he had consented to Print ye same.

5. Agreed that 1500 Copies of the said Sermon be Printed, with a like Number of ye Account of The Proceedings of ye Society annex'd

6. Mr Oliver agreed to Print the Anniversary Sermon, & Acct at One Guinea p Sheet

7 Agreed that Mr Ad. Denne be desir'd to peruse & correct, as he shall think proper ye Acct of ye Society to be publish'd this year.

8 The Secrys reported that they had recd 100 Copies of a Sermon preach'd

at

before the Society for Propagation of ye Gospel in
Foreign Parts, at St Mary Le Bow, on Friday 20
Feb 1746 by The Rt Rev. The Lord Bp of Lincol

9 Order'd that ye Thanks of this Society be
sent to the Incorporated Society for their Present.

10 Agreed that Mr C. D. Denne be desir'd t
pay Dr Robinson £8.10.0 for Expences at ye Anni
versary Meeting of ye Charity Children

11. Agreed that an Abstract of the Proceed-
ings of ye Society for ye last year, ending at ye Audi
25 April 1747 be prepar'd by the Secrys in ord
that it may be read at ye Anniversary Meeting
on Tuesday next.

12. Agreed that Mr Manaton be order'd t
provide a Dinner for 30 Guests at 2s.6d a hea

E. I. M
Ld Bp of Glocester
£ 5.5.0

13. The Lord Bp of Glocester paid to Mr
Watts for Mr Hoare, Five Guineas, being a Bene
faction to the East India Mission

14. Agreed that ye Thanks of ye Society
be given to His Ldship for the Benefaction.

15. Letters were read from Mr Velley at
Ongar, Dr Bowtell at Patrixborne, Mr Savag
at Tetcott Dr Bridges at Southwold, Mr
Leman at Kirkstead Mr Arnold at Mortlake
Mr Rogers at Warminster Mr Davies at Brecon

Bartletts Building

Tuesday 12 May 1747.

Prest Dr Bearcroft, Mr Dough
Mr Sydenham, Mr Rabaud, Mr Thol
Mr Ferrett, Mr Dobree Dr Robinson
Mr Bourdillon

Do

Dr Bearcroft in ye Chair

At a Meeting of ye Society

1 Mr Ferrett paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Dr Denne a Guinea being a Benefaction from The Revd Mr Hartley of Winwick in Northamptonsr at his Admission as a Member

G.B.
Mr Hartley
1.1.0

2 Agreed that Mr Ferrett be desird to give ye Societys Thanks to ye Benefac

3 The Revd Mr Ashcroft Rectr of Mepsal in ye County of Bedford & The Revd Mr Almouse Rectr of Sandy in ye said County recommended by Dr Osborn & Mr Ault were chosen Corresponding Members of this Society.

4. Orderd that ye Secrys do Acquain ye said Gentlemen with such Choice

5. Mr Bourdillon paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Dr Denne two Guineas being a Benefaction towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles from a French Merchant desiring to be Unknown.

W.B.
Unknown
2„2—

6 Agreed that Mr Bourdillon be desird to give ye Thanks of ye Society to the Benefactor.

7. Mr Wilson brought specimens of Paper for Printing ye Anniversary Sermons & Accts & agreed to serve ye Society at 9s ₽ Ream

8. An Abstract of ye Societys Proceedings for ye last year was read before ye Society & orderd to be read a Second time after Dinner this Day.

Letters were read from Mr Le
at Friston; Mr Ellis at Holyhead, Mr Ho
Mr Nairn at Battle, Mr Pimlowe at D
Mr Chelcott at Brentford 1747.

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 19th May 1747.

Presnt Dr Bearcroft Mr Hasting
Dr Robinson, Mr Berriman
Mr Ferrett, Mr Howard, Mr
Thorold Mr Sydenham Mr
Butjenter

Dr Bearcroft in ye Chair

1 W B Sundries £17..6..6 — The Secry reported that he had recd of Mr Torriano ye undermention'd Contributions to ye Welch Bible remitted by Dr Hartley of Bath viz

From Mr Wm King	0..10..6
Revd Mr Lewis of Holt	1..1..0
Mr Coggswell Mayor of Bath	1..1..0
A Lady Unknown	1..1..0
Hammond L'Estrange Esqr	1..1..0
A Pson Unknown	2..2..0
Revd Mr Hill	2..2..0
Revd Mr Sparrow	1..1..0
A Person Unknown	3..3..0
Two Ladies Unknown	4..4..0
	£17..6..6

2 W B Mr Rakes 1..1..0 — The Secry further reported that he had recd a guinea towards ye same good work from Mr Rakes of Glocester

G.D.
Mr Waterhouse
1-1-0.

3 Mr Thorold paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Dr Denne a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Genl Designs from The Revd Mr Waterhouse Rectr of Langley in Kent, thro' ye hand of Sir Philip Boteler Bart.

4 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye respective Benefactrs

5 Dr Bearcroft reported that at ye Anniversary Meeting of ye Society on Tuesday last there was collected after Dinner for Objects of Charity, ye Sum of 11..7..0

6 Agreed that ye undermention'd Persons be relieved out of ye said Charity & that ye Overplus, as also what was found in ye Charity Box, viz 6..8 be applied towards ye Release of Poor Debtors out of Prison

Names of Persons to be reliev'd

		s d
Wido Johnson	recomended by C Hudson	10..6
Wido Brooks	Mr Thorold	10..6
Wido Chadwicke	Ditto	5..0
Jos: Avodie	Dr Pelling	10..6
Mrs Achworth	Dr Denne	10..6
Wido Parish	Ditto	7..6
Wido Fish	Ditto	10..6
Wido Bell		10..6
Wido Lyde		5..
Wido Ipson		7..6
Mrs Nelson	Mr Warcopp	7..6
Car. Over		£ 4..15..6

	By whose Orders	£ s
Wid.o Williams	Mr Clendon	7.6
Wid.o Wortlige	Mr Berriman	7.6
Rev.d Mr Mackubine	Ditto	10.6
Mrs Bough	Mr Ziegenhagen	7.6
Mary Clifton	Mrs Hastings	10.6
Wid.o Roberts	Dr Bearcroft	10.6
Rich.d Somely	Mr Burgenter	10.6
Mrs Musgrave	Mr Berriman	10.6
Martha Vickers	Mr Watts	7.6
Wid.o Lambkin	Ditto	5.0
Wid.o Huddleston	Mr Broughton	10.6
J. Ottolenghe a Jew Convert mention'd by ye Secry & approv'd off by the Board.		10.6
		£ 10.4.0

7 The Rev.d Mr Perronet Vic.r of Shoreha in Kent, having sent as a Present to ye Socie 12 Copies of a Tract, entitled, Some Reflections by way of Dialogue, on ye Nature of Original Sin &c.a

8 Order'd that ye Society's Thanks be sent for ye Present

9 Letter's were read from Dr Jenne at Buckworth, Bp of Oxford, Mr Smith at Bushey, Mr Ridley at Rumford, Mr Parsons at Bedingham, Mr Perronet at Shoreham, Mr Cotton at Elwall 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 26 May 1747.
Pres.t Mr A.D. Denne, Mr Thom
Mr Sydenham, Mr Ridley, Mr
Bourdillon, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Dobree Jun.r

Dr Bearcroft in ye Cha

1 E. I. M. Mr Ridley 1.1.0 — Mr Ridley paid to ye Secry a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Protestant Mission in East India, for which ye Comee desir'd him to accept their Thanks

2. Agreed that a Bible, the New Testam. 1 Childs Christian Education, & 3 Lessons for Children, be given to Mrs Bourdillon for a Poor Family.

3 G. D. Mr Humfrey 1.1.0 — Laul Humfrey Esqr being introduced by Mr Sydenham Subscrib'd to Promote ye Society's Designs & paid a Guinea to Mr A. D. Denne as his Benefaction at Admission

4 Agreed that the Great Importance of a Religious Life, translated into Welch, be referr'd to ye Perusal of Mr Morris

5 W. B. Sundries £13.13.– — The Secry reported that he had paid to Mr A. D. Denne ye several Benefactions mention'd in ye Minutes of 28 April, & of 12 & 19 May, as also the following Contributions to ye Welch Bible not reported before viz

From the Revd Mr Jackson of Addle Yorksre	1.1.–	
Saml Baldwyn of Manchester Esqr	2.2.–	
~~Revd Mr Gay of St Leonards Exon~~	~~1.1.–~~	
Sir I. W. Bart	5.5.0	
Mrs W. W.	1.1.0	
Revd F. W.	1.1.0	
Mr E. S.	1.1.0	
Revd Mr Nairn Dean of Battle Sussex who remits these Benefactions	1.1.0	9.9.–
	£	13.13.–

Brot Over £ 13.1

N13 £1.1.– A Person unknown by The Revd Mr Pages at Farmborough } 1.1.

6 The Secry further reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A D Denne ye undermentiond Benefactions to ye General Designs viz.

G2 Sundries 3.13.6

From the Revd Mr Adams of Wintringham	10.
Revd Mr Rogers at Warminster	1.1.0
Two Clergymen desiring to be unkno p hands of the Revd Dr Osbom Rector of Clifton Bedfordshe	2.2.0

7 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye respective Benefactors.

8 Letters were read from Mr Pages at Farmboro Mr Hastings at Chelsea Mr Baynes at Leeds Bp of Oxford at Westmr 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 2d June 1747

Prest Sr Wm Wentworth, Mr Sydenham, Mr Hastings, Mr Doughty, Mr Dawson, Mr White of Neyland, Mr Berriman, Mr Thorold, Mr Pettens, Mr Stockw

Sr Wm Wentworth in the Chair in ye absence of Dr Bearcr

1 The Secry reported that he had receivd a Guinea from The Revd Mr Jno Linton Vic of Frieston near Boston in Lincolnsre, being hi Benefaction at Admission

G2 Mr Linton 1.1.0.

2 Mr Sydenham according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

3 Agreed that Mr A: Denne be desir'd to pay ye following Bills, viz

To Messrs Colop & Johnson for 136 Rm of Paper for ye Welch Bible to ye 15th April last	76.7.6
To Mr Wilson for 30 Ream of Paper for Printing ye Anniversary Sermon & Acct	17.13.9

4 Some Proposals for Erecting of English Schools in all ye Parishes of England for ye benefit of ye Poor, & for ye farther regulating & improving of those that are already erected were read before ye Society

5 Agreed to referr ye same to a Comee of ye Members present & of such other Members as please to attend, & that they meet for that purpose on this Day Fortnight

6 Order'd that ye Anniversary Sermon preach'd by The Lord Bp of St Davids to an Acct of ye Proceedings of ye Society annex'd, be sent to all the Subscribing & Corresponding Members & also to ye Benefactors mention'd at the end of ye Account for ye last Year.

7 Agreed that Presents of the said Sermon be made as follows

To the Lord Bishop of St Davids as many as he pleases.

120. To the Charity Schools

24. To the Clergy who attended ye Sermon to
be sent to Mr Berriman

50. To the Society for Propagation of ye Gospel

28 To the Court of Directors of ye East Ind. Co

24 To the Society in London Corresponding
with ye Society in Dublin

24 To the Society in London Corresponding
with ye Society in Scotland

24 To the Governrs of St Georges Hospital

24 To the Governrs of ye Infirmary at Westm

24 To the Governrs of ye Infirmary in Goodmans fields

12 To the Trustees for Georgia

18 To the Revd Dr Hales

6 To the Revd Dr Wilson

12 To the Revd Dr Denne

6. To the Minister & Church Wardens of Xt Ch.

24 To the University of Oxford, to be sent
to The Revd Dr Pardoe

24 To the University of Cambridge to
be sent to The Revd Dr Long

8 Agreed to Adjourn to ye Tues
after Whitson Week, & that ye Secrys do disp
ye neceſsary Busineſs of ye Society during the
Adjournment

9. Letters were read from Mr Jones
at Alconbury 29 May, Mr Hartwell at
London, Mr Adams at Wintringham, Mr
Morris at London 2d June 1747.

Bartlet's Build.s
Tuesday 16 June 1747
Pres.t Mr A. D. Denne,
Mr Thorold, Mr Ferrett,
Mr Trevanion, Mr Ravaud,
Mr Pettica, Mr Berriman,
Mr Dawson, Mr Dobree Sen.r

Mr A. D. Denne in
ye Chair in ye Absence of
Mr Sydenham

1 The Secretary reported that he had paid to Mr A. D. Denne Mr Linton's Benefaction as mention'd in ye Minutes of ye 2 Ins.t as also ye undermentioned Benefactions rec.d since viz.

G. D.
Mr J. Haddon
1.1 -
Mrs Catmore
1.1 -

To the General Designs

From the Rev.d Mr Jn.o Haddon of Warrington in Lancas.r at Adm.n } 1.1.-

Mrs Catmore in Fore street ——— 1.1.-

W B
Unknown
1.1 -

To ye Welch Bible

From Mr Jn.o Mathews for a Person desiring to be Unknown } 1.1.-

E. I. M
Mr Deners
2.2.0

2. Mr Trevanion paid to Mr Watts for Mr Hoare ye following Benefactions to the East India Mission viz.

From Mr Deners at Windsor & his two Daughters } 2.2.-

W. B
Unknown 10:

3 At ye same time Mr A. D. Denne rec.d by ye same hands Ten shillings towards a

a New Impression of Welch Bibles from a Pe
unknown by The Rev. Mr Huggie

G.D. Mrs Thorold 5 —
4 Mr Thorold paid to Mr A.D. Denne Five Pounds being a Benefaction to ye General Designs from Mrs Eliz: Thorold.

W.B. Mrs Ball 5..5..0
5 Mr A.D. Denne reported that he had receiv'd Five Guineas as a Benefaction to the Welch Bible from Mrs Alice Ball.

6 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye respective Benefactors

7 The Governors of ye Infirmary at Winton having sent six Copies of their Annual Accoun as a Present to ye Society

8 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be return'd for ye same.

9 The Proposals for Erecting of English Schools in all ye Parishes of England, for the Benefit of ye Poor, were read by the Commee & with some amendments approved.

10 Agreed to recommend it to ye Society, to Print & disperse ye said Proposal

11 Letters were read from Mr Castlema at So Petherton, Mr Say at Ely house, Mr Rogers at Bradford, Mr Davies at Brecon, Mr Morris at London, Mr Pennington at Huntingdon 1747.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 23 June 1747.

Present Mr Thorold, Mr Bromsal, Mr Terrell, Mr Berriman, Mr Dawson

Mr Thorold in ye Chair,
in ye Absence of Mr Sydenham

D
Mr Davies
4.4
E I M
Do. 2.2

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Account Four Guineas, & to Mr Hoares Two Guineas ye former sum being a Benefaction to ye General Designs, & ye latter to ye East India Mission, from The Revd Mr Davies Archdeacon of St Davids

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactor

3 The Trustees of the Infirmary in Westmr having sent 10 Copies of their Annual Account as a Present to this Society

4 Order'd that ye Society's Thanks be given to ye Trustees for their Present

5 Letters were read from Mr Potter at Cottingham 17 June, Mr Fenwick at Hallaton 15 June Mr Ridley at Poplar 16 June Mr Verelst at Westmr Mr North at Scarboro 1747.

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 30 June 1747.
Prest Dr Cartwright
Dr Bearcroft, Mr Wilson
Mr Dawson, Mr Thorold
Mr Bourdillon

Dr

Dr Bearcroft in ye Chai
in ye Absence of ye Mr Sydenha

G. D.

Mr Cremer 1-1-

Mr Smith 4-4

W. B

Unknown 1-1-

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct the following Benefactions to ye General Desig viz

From the Rev. Mr Cremer Vicr of Wyndham in Norfolk } 1.1.0
Rev. Mr Smith Rectr of Bushey Herts } 4.4.
and to the Welch Bible from a Person unknown by the hands of Chris: Dawson Esqr } 1-1

2. Order'd that ye Thanks of this Society be given to ye Society Corresponding with that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestant Schools in Ireland, for 200 Copies of a Sermon preach'd at their Anniversary Meeting by The Revd Dr Thomas Canon Residentiary of St Pauls

3 Order'd that ye Society's Thanks be also sent to The Revd Mr Hartley at Rectr of Winwick in Northamptonsa for a Present of 25 Copies of his Visitation Sermon

4. The Secrys reported that They ha recd from Mr Fox Bookseller 100 Copies of a Tract entitl'd Papal Rome and Pagan Rome, led by the same Spirit

Letters

Letters were read from Mr Dobree at London, Dr Cartwright at Do Mr Hastings at Chelsea, Dr Bearcrof Mr Kenwood at Topsham Bp of Chester at Chester 24 June 1747.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 7th July 1747.

Presnt Mr Thorold Mr Ferrett, Mr Thornton Mr Dawson, Mr Butjenter, Mr Doughty, Mr Newcomen, Mr Bourdillon,

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Sydenham

1 Mr Thornton according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

2 The Revd Mr Wm Baker Rect of Heddenham in Norfolk propos'd by Mr Parsons of Bedingham. The Revd Mr Robt Cremer Vicr of Wyndham in Norfolk propos'd by Dr Denne The Revd Mr Neale Vicr of Great Gidding in Huntingdonsr propos'd by Dr Long & Mr Jones of Alconbury, The Revd Mr Marmaduke Draper of Temple Newson near Ferribridge Domestick Chaplain

Chaplain to The Rt Honble The Lord Vis
Irwin, propos'd by Mr Baynes at Knows
& The Revd Mr Fowler Curate of Waltham Ab
propos'd by Mr Ferrett were chose Corres-
ponding Members of this Society.

3 Order'd that ye Secrys do acquaint the above mention'd Gentn with such Choice.

The Society taking into Consideration ye Proposals for Erecting of English Charity Schools in all ye Parishes of England, for the Benefit of ye Poor, referr'd to them by the Comee of 16 June, agreed to Print & disperse ye said Proposals; & Mr Oliver being call'd up, had Orders to Print 2000 Copies.

4. The Revd Mr Newcomen of Boreha in Essex giving his Company at ye Board subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to ye Secry, in ye Absence of Dr Denne, as his Benefaction at Admisn for wch ye Society gave Mr Newcomen their thank

G.D
Rev. Mr Newcomen
£1.1.0

5 Letters were read from Dr Hales at Teddington, Mr Morgan at Winton, Mr Doughty at Wispington, Mr Bates at Horncastle, Bp of St Davids at Glind in Sussex 10 July 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 14th July 1747.

Prest Mr Ferrett, Mr Dawson
Mr Sydenham, Mr Thorold
& Mr

Mr Sydenham in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Thornton

1 The Secry reported that he had rec.d & placd to Dr Denne's Acct the undermention'd Benefactions to the Welch Bible, viz

W. B
Mr Morris 2.2.–

From Thos Morris Esqr ꝑ hands of the Revd Dr King	1.1.–
From Do ꝑ The Revd Dr Regis	1.1.–

v2 Order'd that Mr Watts, in ye Absence of Dr Denne, do pay Mr Olivers two Bills, viz

To 1/2 a years Rent of a Warehouse ending at Midsr last	2.10.–
To binding books for ye Stores	1.3.–

3 Letters were read from Mr Blundell at Leverpoole, Mr White at Leighton Bozard, Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer 30 Janry 1746

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Tuesday 21st July 1747

Pres.t Mr Thornton
Mr Dalbiac, Mr Thorold
Mr Trevanion, Mr Dawson
Mr Ferrett, Mr Bourdillon,
Mr Albinus, Dr Robinson,

Mr Thornton in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & placed to Dr Dennes Account the following Benefactions, viz

G D.

To the General Designs

Unknown 1-1-0
Mr Deane 1-1-0

From a Gentleman at Hadleigh in Suffolk who desires to be Unknown } 1.1.0

The Revd Mr Deane Rec of Woolhampton, Berks } 1.1.0

W B
Dr Regis 0:10:6

To the Welch Bible

From the Revd Dr Regis of Adisham, Kent } 0.10.6

2 Agreed to recommend it to ye Society that 2000 Copies of the Bp of London's Letter to the Clergy of his Diocese, in relation to this Society, be printed upon a half sheet together with the List of Books in ye Society's Catalogue.

3 Letters were read from Mr Wilson at Fulham, Mr Jones at Alconbury, Mr Gregory at Glocester, Mr Dixon at Bath, Dr Wilson at Tunbridge, Mr Bromsall at Blunham 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 28 July 1747.

Prest Mr Thornton, Mr Sydenham, Mr Thorold & Mr Dawson.

Mr Thornton in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Account ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs viz

G D
Mr Bailey 1.1.0
Unknown 0.10.6

From the Revd Mr Martin Bailey Rector of Wrentham in Suffolk at his Admission . . . 1.1.–

A Gentleman desiring to be unknown by the hands of the Revd Mr Watson of Petworth } 0.10.6

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to ye Benefactors

3 Agreed that Mr Oliver do print 5000 Copies of a Prayer before reading ye Holy Scriptures, being the Collect of our Church for ye Second Sunday in Advent, and that ye same be pasted before the Bibles & Testaments dispers'd by ye Society, as usual.

Letters were read from Dr Young at Welling, Mr Perronet at Shoreham, Dr Ayerst at Canterbury, Mr Lunn at Denton, Mr Harris at Northfleet, Mr Cawthorne at Tunbridge, Mr Ward at Kensington, Mr Bailey at Wrenth

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 4 Augt 1747.
Prest

Mr Thornton, Mr Sydenham,
Dr Robinson, Mr Waricopp, Mr Daws
Mr Butgenter, Mr Thorold, Mr
Bluett, Mr Whitehorne.

Mr Thornton in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had rec
& placed to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermention
Benefactions to ye General Designs viz

G D.
Mr Hildesly 1.1–
Mr Godley 1.1–
Unknown 2.14–

From The Revd Mr Hildesley of Hitchin Herts 1.1.0
Revd Mr Godly friends of Mr Hildesly 1.1.0
A Gentln desiring to be unknown 2.14.0

2 Agreed that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

3 Mr Bluett according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

4 Robt Thornton of Clapham Esqr recommended by Mr Jno Thornton & Mr Watts was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society & ye Secrys order'd to acquaint him wth such Choice

5 Agreed that 2000 Copies of the Bp of London's Letter to ye Clergy of his Diocese, together with ye Catalogue annexed to it, be printed, in order to be distributed by the Members of this Society.

6 Ordered that ye several Accounts of Charity Schools receiv'd from the Members of the Society, be referred to ye Trustees of the Charity Schools.

7 Agreed to Adjourn to ye last Tuesda in this Month, & that ye Secrys do dispatch the necessary Business of ye Society during ye Adjourn

Letters were recd from Mr Parry at Shipston, Mr Stanley at Hadham, Mr Hill at Dunstable, Mr Broughton at Leicester, Mr Parsons at Bedingham, Dr Bowtell at Patrixborne, Mr Cremer at Wyndham, Mr White at Stratford, Mr Linton at Freiston, Mr Crews at Muxon, Mr Cartwright at Wroxeter, Dr Hutchinson at Horsham, Mr Micklethwait at Leeds Mr Digby, Mr Friend at Whitney, Mr Punderson at Grotton in New England 23 April 1747.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 25th Augt 1747.

Presnt Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Dr Wilson, Mr Bourdillon.

Mr Thorold in the Chair in ye Absence of Mr Bluett

1. The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & placed to Dr Dennes Account, ye following Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz

G. D. Sundries 6. 6. 0

From the Revd Mr Cookson at Leeds - } 1. 1. -

The Rev.d Mr Liddle Rector of Wakehurst in Sussex at Admiss.n } 2.2

The Rev.d Mr Rob.t Fowler of Waltham Abbey } 1.1.

The Legacy of The Rev.d Dr Rob.t Morgan late Rect. of Ross in Herefords.r by his Administrat.r Henry Morgan Esq.r } 50.–

The Rev.d Dr Burnet at Westkington Glocesters.r } 2.2

To the Welch Bible

W B
Sundries
1.16.6

From the Rev.d Dr Regis of Adisham in Kent } 10.6

A Person desiring to be unknown 5.–

Tho.s Micklethwait of Leeds Esq 1.1.0

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

3 Order'd likewise that y.e Thanks of the Society be sent for y.e following Presents of Books, w.ch the Secry reported They had receiv'd during y.e Adjournment viz, To His Grace The Lord ABp of Canterbury for 100 Copies of a Tract entitled, The Sin & Danger of neglecting y.e Publick Service of y.e Church, plainly set Forth

To the Gov.rs of the London Infirmary for 24 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before them, at the Parish Church of St Lawrence Jewry, on Tuesday 31 March 1747, by His Grace The Lord ABp of York

And

And to The Rev. Mr Perronet for 25 Copies of a Tract entitled An Affectionate Address to the People call'd Quakers, with regard to Water Baptism & the Lords Supper

4. Agreed that a Present of 40 Lewis's Catechism & 12 Childs Christian Education, be sent to The Rev.d Mr Linton at Freiston in Lincolns. for ye use of a Charity School in his Parish.

Letters were read from Mr Jackson, Mr Micklethwaite Mr Vellas, Mr Blundell, Mr Tucker, Mr Birch Mr Bowerbank, Dr Wilson Mr Parry Dr Thomas, Dr Hartley, Mr Peters Mr Smalbroke, Mr Hildrop, Mr Ebdell Mr Belitha, Mr Perronet, Mr Ault Mr Mustard, Mr Bernard, Mr Welles Mr Gibson, Mr White, Dr Fenton, Mr Cobb, Mr Evans, Mr Baker, Mr Collins Mr Allen, Mr Grimwood, Mr Wise, Dr Burnet, Mr Davies, Mr Monoux, Mr Gennys, Mr Colborne Mr Benson Mr Baxter, Mr Fowler, Mr Berrow Dr Hussey, Mr Green Bp of Chester 1747.

Bartlet's Buildin

Tuesday 1st Septem.r 1747.

Prest Mr Thorold Mr Dawson, Mr Robt Thornton

Mr. Thorold in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr. Black

1 The Secretary reported that h
had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr. Denne's Acct.
the undermention'd Benefactions to the
G.D. General Designs, viz

unknown 2..2..0 From a Lady unknown by ye
hands of the Rev. Mr. Green of } 2..2..0
Derby

Mr. Berrow 1.16.0 Rev. Mr. Capel Berrow Rect.
of Northill, Bedfords. } 1.16..

2. Orderd that ye Thanks of the
Society be sent to ye Benefactors

W.B. A Letter was read from Wm. Shor
L. Griffiths 3.. Esqr. at Excon dated 26 Augt. wth a Bill on
Mr. Nathl. Paice Mercht. in London for
£5..3..0 of wch. sum Mr. Short desires that £2
may be applied towards ye Payment of
his Annual Subscription, & that ye remain-
-ing 3 Guineas may be enterd as a Bene-
-faction to ye Welch Bibles, from The Revd.
Mr. Lemuel Griffiths Vic. of Bps. Nympt
in ye County of Devon

3 Another Letter was read from the
Revd. Mr. Parsons of Bedingham dated
26 Augt. with a Bill upon Mr. Blunt in
Trinity Lane for 2..3..0 to pay for Books

4. Mr. Parsons informing ye Society
in ye said Letter, that he had two large
Charity Schools under his Inspection, &
that a few Bibles, Com: Prayer Books & Testamts.
would

would be highly acceptable to give away among ye Children

5 Agreed that a Present of ye said Books to ye amount of 40s be sent to Mr Parsons for that pious & charitable purpose.

6 Robt Thornton Esqr giving his Company at ye Board, subscribed to Promote ye Society's Designs, and desir'd their Acceptance of a Guinea as his Benefaction at Admission for wch ye Society gave him their Thanks

G. L.
Mr Thornton
1. 1. 0

7 Mr Thornton according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing.

8 The Revd Mr Pearsehouse Curate of Barnes in Surry, recommended by Mr Rothery of Chelsea was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society And the Revd Mr Gibson Vicr of Biggleswade in Bedfordsr recommended by Mr Bromsall, & the Revd Mr Dumaresque Chaplain to ye Brittish Factory in Russia, recommended by the Secry, were chosen Corresponding Members of this Society.

9 Ordered that ye Secry do Acquaint ye abovementiond Gentlemen with such Choice

Letters were read from Mr
10 Mr Short at Exon 26 Aug. Mr Parsons at

at Bedingham 26 Augt. Dr [illegible] at Buckworth 29 Aug. Mr Bowyer at Martock 28 Augt. Mr North at Scarbo 28 Augt. Mr Swinton at Knutsford 24 Aug Mr Burrow at Chesterfield 26 Augt Mr Adamson at Worfield 29 Aug. 1747.

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 8 Sepr 1747.

Pres.t Mr Thorold Mr Berriman, Mr Dobree Mr Sawyer, Mr Dawson Mr Pittis Mr Zeigenhagen

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Robt Thornton

1. W B Mr Griffiths 3.3.– G D Mr Baker 0.10.6. The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct. 3 Guineas, being a Benefaction towards a new Impression of Welch Bibles, from The Revd Mr Lemuel Griffiths, Vicar of Bps Nympton Devon, ꝑ hands of Wm. Short Esqr. And ½ a Guinea to the General Design from the Revd Mr Baker of Heddenham in Norfolk.

2. The Secry laid before ye Board the following List of Debtors releas'd out of Prison by order of ye Society in the ye Charity Money allotted to that Purpo by Mrs Reade & the late Dugal Campbell Esq. amounting to 20.9.8 including 1.9.8 given out of ye Collection at ye Anny Dinner

White Chapel Prison

		Gave M
Ruth Steward sells Fish	0.19.0	0.2.–
Jam^s. Butler Mariner 5 Children	1.1.0	0.2.6
Eliz: Hartley Silk Throwster	0.13.0	0.2.–
Ann Rumley	1.1.0	0.3.6
Jno Delahoy Watchman in spittle Fields	1.15.0	0.1.–

Marshalsea Prison

Mat. Ozara a Foreign Marin^r.	0.16.6	0.1.6
Willm Stuart a Taylor	0.9.6	0.2.
Lawrence Hill a Butcher	0.13.–	0.2.6
Marg^t. Gardiner a Child at her Breast	0.13.6	0.1.6
Thos Marshall Day Labourer	1.4.6	0.2.
Jno Lavender a ~~Watchman~~	0.4.6	0.2.–
Thos. Croker Labourer. Compo^n.	1.9.6	2.–
Fees	9.6	
Jno Collis Wife & 5 Children	1.1.0	2.6
Loding & ffees	12.6	
Alice Rigby Widow	1.10.–	
Ephraim Bedder	2.0.–	
Alice Mills	0.13.8	2.–
James Higgs	0.10.–	2.6
Henry Smith	1.1.–	
	£18.17.8	£1.12.–

3 Order'd that a Copy of this Report be sent to ye Bp of Oxon & Dr Pelling

4. Letters were read from Mr Neale, Mr Castleman Mr Friend Mr Ellis D^r. Maxwell Mr Allen, Mr Frampton, Mr Fox Mr Coke Mr Stevens Mr Hastings 1747.

Bartlets Buil

Tuesday 15 Sepr 1747

Prest Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson
Dr Robinson, Mr Warcopp.

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in
ye Absence of Mr Rt Thorn

1 W.B. Unknown 5— Mr Thorold paid to Mr Watts in The Absence of Dr Denne £5..0..0 for ye Welch Bible being Part of the Produce of a Legacy left to Charitable ~~Uses~~ by a Person desiring to be Unknown, for wch the Comee gave Mr Thorold their Thanks.

2 A Letter (wth a Journal accompanying it) from The Revd Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia, dated 22d April 1747. was read: as were also three Letters from Mr Kiernander at Cudulore, bearing date in Jany last, & two Letters from the Danish Missionaries at Tranquebar one dated in Decr & ye other in Jany last

3 Orderd that ye Journals accompanying ye said Letters be read sometime in November next.

4. Agreed that 12 Copies of An Affectionate Address to Prisoners for Debt be given to Mr Warcopp.

5. Letters were read from Mr Hartley at Winwick, Mr Worthington at Blodwell Mr Knipe at Malden, Mr Bowerbank at Weyhill, Bp of Oxon at Cuddesdon Mr Pennington at Huntingdon. Mr Shute at Owston, Mr ~~Blundell~~ Mr Punderson at Grotton 1747.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 22d Sepr 1747.

Pres.t Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Mr Berreman Mr Watts. Mr Broughton

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Robt Thornton.

G D
Unknown 1.1.–
Dr Sharpe. 2.2.–

1 The Secry reported, that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz one Guinea from a Wid.o Gentlewoman, by hands of the Rev.d Mr Tucker at Bristol & two Guineas from The Rev.d Dr Sharpe Prebendary of Durham.

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent for ye Benefactions

3. A Letter was read from The Rev.d Mr Thomas at Falmouth dated 10 Inst. enclosing a Bill upon Messrs Wyld & Denison in Kings street, for Ten Pounds, part of which is to pay for Books, & part is a Benefaction to the Welch Bibles.

4. Another Letter was read from the Rev.d Mr Friend at Witney dated 10 Inst. with a Bill upon Daniel Gell Esqr at Westmr for 5.1.1½ to pay for Books.

5 Mr Morris to whose Perusal the Translation of the Great Importance of a Religious Life into Welch was referred, having reported, that ye said Translation was well per

6 Agreed that it be admitted into ye Society's List at 3. single or 3s6 ꝑ hundred, Mr Birt having agreed to sell them at that Price.

7. Agreed that 2000 Copies of a Pap agt Drunkenness be printed & brought into the Society's Stores.

8. John Hind Esqr Govr of Fort St David, & the Revd Mr Fordice English Minis of ye same Place, recommended by Mr Kiernander: & the Revd Mr Philip Gurdon Vicar of Bures, in Suffolk, recommended by Mr Grimwood & Mr Crossman were chose Corresponding Members of this Society

9 Ordered that ye Secrys do Acquain ye above Gentlemen wth such Choice.

10. Letters were read from Mr Bailey at Wrentham 18 Sepr Mr Marshall at Allesley 12 Sepr Mr Sanxay at Tetcot 13 Sepr Mr North at Glemham 18 Sepr Mr Harrison at Cirencester 19 Sepr Mr Micklethwait at Leeds 9 Sepr Mr Linton at Freiston 19 Sepr Mr Birch at Dover 14 Sepr 1747.

Bartlet's Build.s
Tuesday 29th Sepr 1747
Prest Mr Pittius Mr Albinus
Mr Dawson
Mr Pittius in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Thornton

1 Order'd that a Letter from The Revd Mr A. D. Denne dated 25 Sepr be referred to ye Consideration of the Society at their next Meeting

2 A Bill of Wm Camp for binding 25 Childs Christian Education amounting to 0.. 8.. 9 was laid before the Committee:

Order'd that Mr Watts do pay the same in ye Absence of Dr Denne.

Letters were read from Mr Weller at Maidston 18 Sepr Mr Broughton at Leicester 26 Sepr Mr Brown at Tavistock 15 Sepr Mr Bolzius at Savanna America 1744.

Bartlet's Build.s
Tuesday 6th Octr 1747.
Prest Mr Ziegenhagen,
Mr Butjenter Mr
Bourdillon, Mr Bexiehou
Mr Sydenham Mr Thornt
Mr Doughty, Mr Pittius
Mr Venn Dr Robinson
Mr Berriman

Mr Thornton in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had rec
& placed to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermention
Benefactions, viz

Gd
To the General Designs

Mr Persehouse
1.1.-
From The Revd Mr Persehouse }
at Barns at his Admission } 1.1.0

Mr Lane
1.1.-
Theophilus Lane of Hereford Esq 1.1.0

W.B.
To the Welch Bible

Mr Maynard
0:5:0
From Mr Charles Maynard 0.5.0

Mr Thomas
3:13:10½
The Revd Mr Thomas at Falmo 3.13.10½

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society
be given to the Benefactors.

3 Mr Bourdillon paid to the Secry
E.I.M.
Mr Mare
2.2.0
two Guineas being a Benefaction to the
East Indn Mission from Mr Saml Mare, in
Spital Fields:

4 Agreed that Mr Bourdillon be
desird to give ye Society's Thanks for ye same

5 The Revd Mr Thurlow Vicr of Thursto
in Norfolk, recommended by Mr Parsons
of Bedingham was chose a Correspond. Memb

6 Order'd that the Secry do acquain
him wth such Choice.

7 Mr Bourdillon according to Rotation
was desird to be Chairman for ye Month ensuin

8 Mr. A.D. Denne having signified to the
Society from the Vice Chancellr of Cambridge
that ye University Warehouse was full; &
thereupon desiring that the Society would send
for such Sheets of the Welch Bible as are finish'd
& gather'd

✓9 Order'd that Mr Watts do write to the Vice Chancellr & beg the favour of him to provide a Warehouse at Cambridge wherein to lodge ye Sheets already work'd off, till ye whole Impression be compleated.

✓10 Mr A D. Denne having signify'd in a Letter, that he was ready to give the Society the best Assistance he could, in distributing some good Books out of Mr Bethe's Charity, among some of ye Parishes in Kent

✓11 Agreed that Mr Archdeacon be informed that the Society accepts the offer of his kind Services, & that he may order what Books & Tracts he pleases for that Purpose.

✓12 The Society being informed of ye Death of Mr Hastings, their late worthy Treasurer, unanimously agreed to desire Mr Gosling to supply his Place: wch being signifyed to him in a Letter signed by the Chairman Mr Gosling consented to undertake the Office of one of the Treasurers to this Society.

13 Letters were read from Dr Denne at Rochester 25 Sepr & 4 Octr. Mr Gregory at Glocester 28 Sepr Mr Pag's at Farnboro 26 Sepr Dr Osborn at Clifton 3 Octr. Mr Leman at Kirkstead 30 Sepr Mr Vaughan at Lempster 3 Oct Mrs Gallaway at Chellenham 1747.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 13 October 1747

Prest Mr Thorold, Mr Gosling,
Mr Dawson, Mr Dalbiac
Mr Bourdillon

Mr Bourdillon in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had re
& placed to Dr Dennie's Acct One Guinea, bein
G.D. unknown 1.1.– a Benefaction, to the Genl Designs, from a
Gentlewoman desiring to be unknown, ꝑ han
of the Revd Mr Moore

2 Mr Bourdillon presented to ye Comee
Six Copies in French & English, of ye Statutes
& By-Laws of The Corporation of the Govern
& Directors of the Hospital for Poor French
Protestants, & their Descendants, Residing
in Great Britain: for wch the Committee
gave him their Thanks.

3 Agreed that the Thanks of ye Society
be given to Mr Gosling, for his Accepting
the Office of One of ye Treasurers to this Soci

4 Letters were read from Mr Warcop
at Teddington 13 Octr Mr Dobree at Lond
9 Oct. Mr Gurdon at Bures 9 Oct. Mr Ashor
at Mepsal 30 Sepr 1747.

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 20th Oct. 1747.

Prest Dr Wilson Dr Cartwright
Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, M
Pittis, Mr Bromsal

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in
the Absence of Mr Bourdillon

1 The Secrys reported that They had receiv'd from The Lord Bp of London 40 Copies of Dr St Georges Treatise on ye Beatitudes, wth a Request that they might be sent in Packets to such Members of ye Society as are in his Lordships Diocese:

2 Orderd that his Ldships Directions in this Respect be complied with as Occasion offers.

3 Agreed that 20 Dr Combers Plausible Arguments of a Romish Priest answer'd, be given to Mr Thorold, out of the Stores, for the use of St Georges Hospital

4 Letters were read from Mr Doughty at Wispington 16 Oct, Mr Ault at Arksey 12 Oct. Mr Hildrop at Wath 16 Oct. Mr Draper at Temple Newsam 14 Oct. Mr Broughton at Leicester Mr Woods at Welford 19 Oct. Mr Blundell at Liverpoole 26 Sepr 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 27 Octr 1747

Prest Dr Cartwright, Mr Dobree Senr Dr Regis, Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson, Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Bromsal

Mr Bourdillon in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he ha receiv'd & placed to Dr Denne's Account tw Guineas; being a Benefaction to ye Welch Bibles, from Charles Legh Esqr of Arlingto in Cheshire, thro' ye hands of the Revd Mr Swinton of Knutsford, & half a Guinea to ye General Designs from the Revd Mr Swinton

W. B.
Mr Legh 2.2–
G. D.
Mr Swinton 10.6

2 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Socie be sent to ye Benefactors

3 Agreed that a Packet of Books consisting of Comon Prayers to ye Amount of 30 be sent as a Present to the Revd Mr Thompson Missionary at Monmouth Count in New Jersey at ye Request of Mr Archdeac Cartwright

4 Upon reading the Translation of a Latin Letter from the College at Copenhagen for Propagating the Gospel in the East Indies dated ye 5th Inst, wherein They request, that Ambrose now a Catechist at Cudulore in ye East Indies might be sent to Tranquebar, in order to supply the Place of Pastor Aaron Deceas'd as a Preacher to ye Christians dispers'd through that Country.

5. Agreed that ye Request of the College be complied with, & that ye Secry do Acquaint them therewith, provided that a Catechist, well qualify'd for that Office be sent from Tranquebar to Cudulore to supp the Place of Ambrose.

6. Letters were read from Mr Bethell at Ovsden 20 Octr Mr Ridley at Rumf Mr Morant at Colchester Dr Osborn at Clifton Mr Swinton at Knutsford Mr Finckenhagen at Copenhagen

1747.

Bartlets Build.gs
Tuesday 3d. Nov. 1747.
Pres.t Mr Gosling, Mr Bromsa
Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson,
Mr Pittiers, Dr Cartwright,
Mr Thornton Sen.r, Mr Dobree
Mr Whithorne.

Mr Bourdillon in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & placed to Dr Dennes Acct ye undermentioned Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz.

G.D. — Sundries 7.7.—	From the Rev. Mr Barter Rect. of St Mary Steps Exon	1.1.—
	Rev. Mr Hugh Yard Rect. of Ashton Devon by Ditto	1.1.—
	From the Executors of the Rev Mr Bridges, late Rect. of Gotham remitted by the Rev. Mr Woods of Wilford near Nottingham	4.4.—
	The Revd Mr Woods for himself	1.1.—

2. Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

3 The Rev. Dr Rooke Master of Christ College Cambridge, recommended by Mr A.D. Cartwright was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society. And the Rev. Mr Jno Osborne Rect. of Newtimber Sussex propos'd by Mr Berriman & the Rev. Mr Tho. Thompson of Mon-

mouth

Monmouth County, in New Jersey re
-mended by Dr Cartwright were chose
Corresponding Members

4 Orderd that ye Secrys do acquain
the abovemention'd Gentlemen wth such Choic

5 Mr Bromsal according to Rotatio
was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuin

6 Mr Henry Hastings attending
on the behalf of Mrs Mary Hastings Widow
of Henry Hastings Esqr late Treasurer
to ye Society for Subscriptions, & there appea
-ing due to ye Society on ye Ballance of his
Acct in ye Subscription Book 6l.17.0

7 Agreed that Mr Gosling be desir'd
to receive that sum, & give Mrs Hastings a
discharge in ye name of the Society, & that ye
Secrys do witness ye same wch was done accord

8 Orderd that Mr Dod be directed
to acquaint the Society before any Book
or Tract upon their Catalogue be reprinte

9 Mr Dod having requested the
Society's leave to reprint ye two 1st Volumes
of Ostervalds Arguments.

10 Agreed that Mr Dod's Request
be complyed with

11. Letters were read from Mr Gibson
at Biggleswade 29 Oct. Mr Jones at Lan-
dovror 21 Oct. Mr Barter at Exeter 26 Oct.
Dr Wilson at Tunbridge Wells 27 Oct.
Mr Pennington at Huntingdon Oct.
Mr Wadsworth at Hov 21 Oct. 1747.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 10 Novr 1747

Prest Mr Thorold Mr Gosling, Mr Dawson.

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Bromsall

G.D. Sundries 3..10..6

1 The Secretary reported that he had recd & plac'd to Dr Denn Acct ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs viz,

From Bryan Blundell of Liverpool Esqr	2..5..–
Mrs Fitzherbert by hands of ye Revd Mr Green of Derby	0..10..6
Revd Mr Punderson Missionary at New Groton in New England	0..15..–

2 The Secry further reported that he had receiv'd from ye Registry of ye Prerogative Court of Canterbury ye following Extract of ye Will of the Worshipfull Jno Andrews Doctor of Laws late of Doctors Commons, in ye Parish of St Benedict near Pauls Wharfe London decd bearing Date 15 May 1747, & now remaining in ye said Registry, amongst other things therein is contain'd as follows, to wit,

"And

"And I desire my Executrix
" pay the Sum of One Hundred P
" to ye Treasurer of ye Voluntary Society fo
" Promoting Christian Knowledge, to be appl
" to ye use of ye said Society"

Prov'd at London 3. Novr 1747

3 Order'd that ye foregoing Extract be copied in ye Book of Wills

4 Two Letters One (Latin) from M Profess. Callenberg at Hall in Saxony, dated 17 March 1747. The other (French) from Mr Polier at Lausanne in Swisserland dated 31 Octr 1747 were laid before the Board.

5 Order'd that the Secry do Transla ye said Letters.

6 Letters were read from Mr Edwards at Sanbadam faubr 30 Oct Mr Waring at London Mr Dean at Wool[illegible] 1747.

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 17 Novr 1747.

Presnt Mr Sydenham, Mr Bromsal Mr Ziegenhagen Mr Gosling Mr Thorold, M Dawson, Mr Ravaud.

Mr Bromsal in ye Chair

1 The Secretary reported that he had recd & placed to Dr Dennes Acct the

under

G D
Sundries
2..2..–

undermention'd Benefactions to the General Designs viz.

From M. A. D. D. .... 1..1..–
Rev. Mr Deane Rector of Woolhampton Berks } 1..1..–

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd to ye Benefactors

✓ 3 Agreed that 25 Soldiers Mon be given to a Gentleman, at ye request of the Secry, for ye use of a devout Soldier in Flanders

✓ 4 Agreed that 20 Dr Comber's Plausible Arguments of a Romish Priest from Scripture & Antiquity, answ be given to Mr Bromsal for the use of a Parish in the Country, viz. Great Storton Huntingdons. infested with Papists.

G D
Mr Waterhouse
1..1..–

✓ 5 Mr Ravaud paid to ye Secry in the absence of Dr Denne, One Guinea, being a Benefaction to the General Designs, from the Revd Mr Waterhouse Rectr of Langley in Kent.

6. Letters were read from Dr Osborn at Clifton 7 Novr Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 3 Novr Mr Arnold at Burton 9 Novr Mr Poliere at Lausan 31 Octr Mr Digby at Oxon 12 Novem: Mr Adamson at Worfield 11 Novr Mr Wilson at Westmeston 13 Novr Mr Humph at London. 1747.

Bartlets

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 23 Novem.r 1756

Pres.t Mr Sydenham, Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson,

Mr Thorold in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr Bromsall

1 The Secretary reported that he rec.d & plac'd the undermention'd Benefactions to Dr Denne's Acc.t viz,

To the General Designs

G.D. Sundries 4.4.–

From Henry Salwey of Elton Salop Esq.	1.1.0
Rev.d Mr Mason of Hull	1.1.0
Rev.d Mr Lidgold Vic.r of Harmondsworth, Mittax at Admission	1.1.0
Rev.d Mr Osborn Rect of Newtimber Sussex	1.1.0

W.B. 2 To the Welch Bible

Dr Ayerst 1.1.–

The Rev.d Dr Ayerst, Prebendary of Canterbury	1.1.0

E.I.M. Dr Ayerst 1.1.–

Ditto for the East India Mission to be paid to Mr Hoare	1.1.0

3 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd to ye Benefactors

4 A Letter was read from the Rev.d Mr Marshall of Allesley near Coventry dated 24 Nov.r enclosing a Bill upon his Brother for two Guineas of wch he desires ye Society's acceptance as a Benefaction to their Gen.l Designs

G.D. Mr Marshall 2.2–

5. Mr Thorold paid to ye Secr.y in ye Absence of Dr Denne a Benefaction of Two Guineas to the Welch Bible from Lady Holt by Mr Wellman.

W B Lady Holt 2.2–

Letters were read from Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer 25 Aug. Dr Dawson at Virginia 23 Sept. Mr Adams at Salop 18 Nov. Mr Pennington at Huntingdon 17 Nov. Mr Doughty at Wispington 21 Nov. Mr Baldwyn at Manchester 1747

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 1 Decem.r 1747

Pres.t Mr Ziegenhagen
Mr Bromsal, Mr Gosling,
Dr Osborn, Mr Thorold,
Mr Dawson, Mr Vernon
came in after ye Board was
broke up.

Mr Bromsal in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & placed to Dr Denne's Acct. ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz

Dr Sundries 1..11..6

From the Rev.d Mr Luck Vicar of Brightlingsea Essex by hands of the Rev.d Mr White of Stratford } 10..6

& a Guinea from the Rev.d Mr Pennington of Huntingdon at Admission } 1..1..–

2. The Rev.d Mr Robinson B.D of Cocklington Yorks.e recommended by the Rev.d Mr Pennington of Huntingdon

was chose a Subscribing Member of the Soc

3 Order'd that ye Secry do acquaint him to such Choice

4 Mr Ziegenhagen according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

5 Agreed that 6 Bibles brevier Charac single, be given to Mr Watts, for the use of the New Wards in the Infirmary at Westmr & that an 8vo Com: Prayer be given to Mr Bourdillon for a Poorman.

W B
Mr Jenkin 1.1.0

6 The Revd Mr Jenkin Lecturer of St Martin Ludgate, sent a Guinea as a Benefaction to the Welch Bible

7 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd for the same

G D
Dr Osborne 1.1–
Mr Ault 1.1–

8 The Revd Dr Osborn subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, as his Benefaction at Admission, as also another Guinea being a Gift to the General Designs from the Revd Mr Ault of Astsey in Bedfordsh

9 Letters were read from Mr Smith at Bushey 24 Novr Mr Boswell at Taunton 7 Novr Mr Mason at Hull 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 8th Decr 1747.

Presb Mr Ziegenhagen Mr Berriman Mr Pittius, Mr Sydenham Mr Thorold, Mr Dawson

Dr E

Mr. Ziegenhagen in ye Chair

1 An English Translation of a Late Letter, from the Rev. Mr. Profr. Callenberg at Hall in Saxony, dated 17 March 1747, giving an Account of his Endeavours for ye Conversion of ye Jews & Mahometans, ye Names of the Missionaries employ'd by him in that charitable Work, their Travels & the great Number of Books Printed for that purpose in several Languages, and dispers'd throughout several Countrys was read.

2 Order'd that the said Translation, together with ye Original be copied into ye Society's Book of Special Letters, & that ye Thanks of the Society be given to Mr. Professor for his agreeable Account.

3 The Secry. reported that they had recd. 6 Copies of an Acct. of ye State of ye County Hospital at Northampton, as also 6 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before the Govrs. of the said Hospital, at their Anniversary Meeting 22 Sept. 1747 by the Revd. Dr. Bishop, as a Present from ye said Govrs.

4 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be given for the same.

5 Letters were read from Mr. Arnold 2 Decr. Mr. Morgan at Winton 3 Decemr. Dr. Hutchinson at Horsham 1 Decr. Mr. Blundel at Liverpool 1 Decr. Dr. Osborne at Clifton Mrs. Gallaway at Cheltenham Dr. Parris at Cambridge Mr. Edwards at Lanbadarn Fawr 1747.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 15. ~~[illegible]~~ Decr 1744

Prest Mr Dobree Senr Mr Bourdillon

Mr Bourdillon in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Ziegenhag

G.D. Mr Dumaresq 1.1.0

1. Mr Dobree paid to ye Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, One Guinea, being a Benefaction to the General Designs from The Revd Mr Dumaresq Chaplain to the British Factory at Petersbourgh.

2 The Secry reported that he had receivd & placd to Dr Denne's Acct the undermentiond Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz

G.D. Sundries 3.3 —

From Mr Lloyd of ye Salt Office	1.1.0
Revd Mr Thoresby Rectr of Stoke Newington at Admission	1.1.0
Rev Mr Edw. Lunn Rect. of Denton in Kent	1.1.0

E.I.M. Mr Lloyd 1.1 —

And a Benefaction of a Guinea to the East India Mission, from Mr Lloyd as above to be paid to Mr Hoare.

3 Orderd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

1. A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Crossman at Sudbury dated 8th Inst. wth a Bill upon Mr Burkit in Clements Lane for 6 to pay his Annual Subscription & for Books

Letters

Letters were read from Lady Huntingdon, Mr Bearcroft at Kelvedon, Mr Lloyd in Yorkbuildings, Dr Hales at Teddington, Mr Crossman at Sudbury 8 Decr 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 22 Decr 1747.

Prest Dr Bearcroft Mr Sydenham, Mr Dawson, Mr Pittius, Mr Thorold,

Dr Bearcroft in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Ziegenh

1 Dr Bearcroft paid to ye Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, a Guinea being a Benefaction to ye Genl Designs from the Revd Dr Troughear, Minister of Carisbrook in ye Isle of Wight

G. D. Dr Troughear 1.1-0

2 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & plac'd to Dr Denne's Acct a Moidore being also a Benefaction to the Genl Designs, from a Person desiring to be unknown by hands of Mr Gell of Westm

Unknown 1.7.0

3 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

4 Agreed that a Packet of Books to ye Value of 50s be given to the Revd Mr Prince, who is appointed Missionary to ye Musquito Indians, at ye request of Dr Bearcroft

5 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 12 Janry & that Summons be sent to the Members for a General Meeting on that day, & that ye Secrys do dispatch ye necessary Business of the Society, during the Adjournment.

Letters were read from Mr Grimwood at Dedham 17 Decr. Mr Talbot at Cambridge Mr Dumaresq at St Petersbourgh, Mr Howlet at Rampton 7 Decr Dr Denne at Lambeth 1741.

At a Special Meeting of the Society

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 12 Janry 1741

Prest. Mr Ziegenhagen Dr Denne Mr Gosling, Mr Doughty Mr Warcop, Mr Berriman Dr Bearcroft, Mr Morgan Mr Dobree, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Sydenham Mr Dawson

Mr Ziegenhagen in ye Chair

1 Mr Ziegenhagen, at ye request of the Rev Mr Profr Franck, presented to ye Society 12 Copies (in Latin) of an Acct of ye East India Mission, being an Abridgment of the larger History thereof: beginning in ye Year 1705, & continued down to 1736, dedicated to ye Society by Mr Professor.

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to Mr Profr Franck for his valuable Present

3 The Secrys reported that ye following Tracts had been sent as Presents to ye Society, during their Adjournment, viz

100 more Copies of ye Sin & Danger of neglecting the Publick Service of the Church: A Present from the Lord Bp of Lincoln

50 Farther Acct of ye Circulating Welch Charity Schools, from Michs 1746 to Michs 1747. A Present from Mr Thorold

12 Copies of a Sermon occasion'd by the Distemper among the Cattle. By a Minister of the Church of England. A Present from an Unknown Person by Mr Austen Bookseller.

4 Order'd that the Society's Thanks be return'd for the Presents.

W: B 5 Unknown 5. Mr A. D. Denne reported that he had recd from a Person Unknown 5. as a Benefaction to the Welch Bible

6 Mr A. D. Denne further reported that he had receiv'd of the Revd Mr Archer, One of the Executors of the late Dr Carter. 340.. 19.. 3 1/2 on Account of the Drs Legacy.

7 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & paid to Dr Denne the undermention'd Benefactions to the General Designs, viz.

Sundries 4.. 4..

From the Revd Mr Marshall at Allesley near Coventry	2.. 2
Revd Mr Lloyd of Epping in Essex	1.. 1
Revd Mr Robinson of Pocklington Yorks. at Admission	1.. 1

Saltzburghers
Unknown
£1.1.0

And a Guinea as a Benefaction to the Saltz-burghers in Georgia, from a Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown.

8 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be given to the Benefactors

9 Mr Oliver deliver'd two Bills, One for Half a Years rent of a Warehouse due at Christmas last — — — — — 2.10.0

The other on Acct of the Society's Store 1.1.4

10 Agreed that Mr A.D. Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bills

11. Mr Dobree Senr according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

12. Letters were read from Mr Jeffrey at Wratting, Mr Dean at Woolhampton Mr Smith at Bushey, Mr Arnold at Thurcaston Mr Chappelow at Hormead, Mr Draper at Temple Newsam, Mr Ridley at Poplar, Mr Zouch at Sandal. Mr Wadsworth at How. Mr Ellis at Holy Head, Mr Wilson at Westmeston, Mr Morgan at Towyn
1747.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 19th January 1747/8

Presst Dr Cartwright, Mr Morgan,
Mr Chamberlayne, Mr Sydenham
Mr Dawson, Mr Berriman
Dr Robinson
Mr A.D. Cartwright in the Chair in ye Absence of Mr Dobree

Mr

G D
Unknown
2..2..0

1 Mr A.D. Cartwright paid to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, Two Guineas, being a Benefaction to the General Designs of the Society from a Clergyman desiring to be Unknown.

2. Agreed that Mr A.D. Cartwright be desired to give the Thanks of the Society to the Benefactor.

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3 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & paid to Mr Hoare, a Guinea, being a Benefaction towards ye support of the East India Mission, from a Person desiring to be Unknown, thro' the hands of the Revd Mr Leman of Kirkstead in Norfolk

E.I.M
Unknown
1..1..0.

4 Letters were read from Mr Crewe at Crewhall, Mr Pages at Farnboro Mr Southern at Cardington, Mr Robinson at Pocklington, Mr Wilson at Cocking Mr Cotton at Eardley, Mr Grimwood at Dedham 11th January 1747.

Bartlets Build:
Tuesday 26 Janury

Present, Dr Denne
Dr Bearcroft, Mr Smalebr
Sr Jno Thorold, Mr Dawson,
Mr Hildesley, Mr Sydenh
Mr

Mr Bourdillon, Mr Dalbiac
Mr Ravaud.

Mr A.D. Denne in the Chair in ye Absence of Mr Dobr

1 Mr Hildesley paid to Mr A.D. Denne, two Guineas from the Revd Mr Godly & one Guinea from himself being Benefacti to the General Designs for which Mr Hildesl receivd ye thanks of the Comee, & was desird to give ye same to Mr Godly.

G.D.
Mr Godly
2.2.
Mr Hildesley
1.1.

2 Mr Watts paid into the same hands for the like Purpose, five shillings from a Person unknown.

G.D.
Unknown 5.

3 The Secry reported that he had receiv & paid to Mr A.D. Denne a Guinea as a Benefaction to the General Designs from the Revd Mr Wise Vicar of Harlow in Essex, & a Guinea to the Welch Bible from a Person desiring to be unknow by the hands of the Revd Dr King.

G.D.
Mr Wise
1.1.0
W.B.
Unknown
1.1.0

4. Orderd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

5. Letters were read from Mr Hugh at Clisthydon, Mr Humphreys at London Mr Ravaud at London Mr Hildesley 1747.

Bartlets Building
Tuesday 2d Feby 1747

Prest. Mr Vernon, Dr Wilson, Mr Stockwell, Dr Cartwright Mr Sydenham, Dr Denne Mr Gosling

Mr

Mr Morgan, Mr Pittis
Dr Nicolls, Mr Ravaud
Mr Venn, Mr Dobree Dr
Rooke, Mr Doughty.

Mr Dobree in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Dr Denne ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs viz

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Sundries 2 & 3
5..5..0

From The Rt Honble the Countess of Hartford	1..1..–
Lady Betty Smithson	1..1..–
Revd Mr Southern Vicr of Cardington Salop	1..1..–
Mr Robt Pearson in Cripplegate Parish	1..1..–
Mr J. H by the Secretary	1..1..–

2 Order'd

That the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

4 Mr Vernon according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

W B
Mr Folkes
2..2..0

5 Dr Nicolls paid to Dr Denne Two Guineas, being a Benefaction to the New Impression of Welch Bibles from The Revd Mr Folkes Minister of St Catherine Cree Church

6 Ord. That ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactor

6 The Revd Mr Jno Peter Stehelin prop
by Mr Bourdillon & Mr Dalbiac was chose
a Subscribing Member of the Society.

7 And the Revd Mr Thos Warrington of
Virginia propd by Dr Cartwright, And The
Revd Mr Jno Foote Rectr of Yoxall near
Litchfield Staffords. proposd by Mr Ravaud
were chose Corresponding Members

8 Order'd that ye Secrys do acquaint
those Gentlemen wth such Choice.

G.B.
Mr Foote
1.1.0

9 Mr Ravaud paid to Mr A.D. Denne
a Guinea as a Benefactn from the Revd Mr Foote

10 Agreed that Mr Ravaud be desir'd
to give ye thanks of ye Society to ye Benefactor

G.B.
Dr Rook
1.1.0

11 The Revd Dr Rooke, giving his
Company at the Board, subscribed to
Promote the Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea
to Mr A.D. Denne as his Benefaction at
Admission, for wch ye Society gave him their Thanks

12 Agreed that Dr Denne be desird to
Advance out of Mr Palmer's Legacy £150...
to pay the Salarys of the Society's three Mission
at Fort St George & Cudulore

13 Mr A.D. Denne reported from Mr
Ziegenhagen that Mr Professr Franck had
remitted £200...... to Messrs Fabricius & Kiernan-
der, & that Mr Ziegenhagen would give £100..
to ye said Gentlemen for the service of both Missions

14 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society
be given to Mr Professr Franck & to Mr Ziegenhagen
for their kind intentions to ye Mission

15 Ord.d that for ye future ye Letter & Presents to be
sent to ye East Indies, be insured in one of ye Publick Offices.

Bartletts Build

Tuesday 9 Febr. 1747

Prest. Mr Cooper, Mr Albinus, Mr Sydenham Mr Warrington Mr Pittius, Mr Warcopp, Mr Dawson, Mr Tockington Sr Jno Thorold Mr Bourdillon Mr Berriman Mr Cawley.

Mr Cooper in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Vernon

1 G. D. Unknown £6. A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Cartwright at Wroxeter dated 7 January enclosing a Bill upon Wm Baker Esqr for £6 — being a Benefaction to the General Designs from a Person desiring to be Unknown

2 Agreed that Mr Cartwright be desired to give the Society's Thanks for the Benefaction when received.

3 Agreed that a Packet of Books to ye Amount of 20s, be given to the Revd Mr Edwards Curate of Hampstead, at the request of Mr Warcopp.

4. Mr Ryder having delivered a Bill of Costs for the Sale of the late Dr Carter's Estate, One Moiety whereof, was by Agreement to be paid by the two Society's & the other by Capt Carter: & the sd Bill having been perused by Mr Edwards & Mr Clendon & found reasonab

5. Agreed that Mr. A D Denne, according to the Agreement, be desired to pay One fourth part of the said Bill, amounting to the Sum of £13..4..0

6. Letters were read from Mr. Fenwick at Hallaton, Mr. Cartwright at Wroxeter Mr. Jackson at Greens Norton Mr. Bates at Horncastle & Mr. Wilberfoss at Gainsboro' 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 16 Febry 1747.

Pres.: Bp of Glocester, Sr Jno Thorold, Mr Howard, Mr Sydenham Mr Worthington

1 Ld Bp of Glocester in ye Chair

G. D. Ld Windsor 10:10:0 — 1 The Bp of Glocester paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Mr. A D Denne, ten Guineas being a Benefaction to the General Designs from the Rt. Honble The Ld Viscnt Windsor

E. I. M. Do 10:10 — 2 His Ldship also paid Ten Guineas into the same hands, as a Benefaction to the East Ind.s Mission from the said noble Person

3. Ordered that the Society's Thanks be sent to Ld Windsor for his Benefactions

G.D. Unknown 5— 4 Sr Jno Thorold likewise paid to the Secry £5..–– as a Benefaction to the G.l Design from a Person desiring to be Unknown

5. Agreed that Sr Jno Thorold be desired to give ye Society's Thanks to ye Benefactor

v 6 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Directors of the East India Company, for permitting ye Society's Silver for ye use of ye Mission to go in One of ye Company's Ships freight free.

7 Letters were read from Mr Adams at Worfield, Mr Peploe at Manchester, Mr Potter at Collingham, Mr White at Weyland, Mr Castleman at Bristol, Mr Parfect at Rochester, Mr Jones at Trinity

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 23 Febr. 1716/7

Presd Dr Wilson, Mr Gosling, Mr Sydenham, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Warrington, Mr Worthington

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Vernon

v 1 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Byrch at Dover dated 15th Instant signifying that he had remitted a Guinea from Humphrey Pudner Esqr of Canterbury towards the General Designs of ye Society & another from the Executors of ye late Benj: Pybus Esqr of Dover, for the like good Purposes.

G.B.
Mr Pudner 1.1
Mr Pybus 1.1

2 Ordered that Mr Byrch be desi
to give the Society's thanks to ye Benefactors
& to accept ye same himself, for his own good Offices

3 Agreed that 100 Seamen's Monitors be
given to The Rev. Mr Warrington, to be dispe
amongst the Sailors of ye Hector Man of War
station'd at Virginia, of wch he is appointed Chapla

4. The Secry reported that they had receiv
from The Rev. Dr Sneyd of Henningham
Sible, in Essex, 100 Copies of a little Tract,
entitl'd, The Country Parson's last Advice or
dying Farewell to his Parishioners.

5. Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society
be sent for ye Present

6. Letters were read from Mr Byrch
at Dover Mr Parfect at Rochester, Mr Gurdon
at Dures, Mr Wadsworth at Hoo Lady Smithson

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 1 March 1747
Present, Mr Vernon, Dr Bearcroft,
Mr Ridley, Mr Gosling Mr Jenkin,
Dr Best Mr Jezret, Mr Warrington
Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson
Mr Vernon in ye Chair

1. Dr Bearcroft paid to ye Secry in ye Absence
of Dr Denne, Three Guineas; being a Benefaction
to ye General Designe from a Person desiring to be
Unknown, remitted by the Revd Mr Taylor at Clifton
near Bristol

G D
Unkn. 3.3.—

(2) Agreed that Mr Taylor be desi
to give the Society's Thanks to ye Benefact

3 The Rev Mr Steheling giving his
Company at ye Board, subscrib'd to promote
the Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to the
Secry, as his Benefaction at Admission,
for wch the Society gave him their thanks.

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Mr Stehelin
1.1.

4 Mr Stehelin according to Rotation
was desir'd to be Chairman for the Month
ensuing.

5 James Best Esqr of Chatham, propos
by The Rev Mr Parfect of Rochester
was chose a Subscribg Member of ye Society
And the Rev Mr Clarke Rect of East
Dearham in Norfolk, recommended by
Mr Evans. The Rev Mr Henry Owen
B.M. & Curate of Broadwell near Stow on
the Wold Glocestersr recommended by Mr Parry
And the Rev Mr Ward, Minister of Roeham
ton Chapel, recomended by Mr R Thery were
chose Corresponding Members:

6 Orderd that ye Secrys do acquaint
the abovemention'd Gentlemen wth such Choice

7 Agreed that Mr Hoare be desired to
pay to ye Secry, what Money he has in his han
for the East Inda Mission, in order to Answer so
Expences attending ye Service of the Mission

8. Agreed that Mr Dod have leave to
Print Mr Allesby's Caution agt Ill Company

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single at One penny half penny each Tract or Ten shillings by the Hundred

Letters were read from Mr. Carpenter at Sheldon, Mr Pennington at Huntingdon, Mr Perkins at Fulborne, Mr Blundell at Liverpoole Mr Colborn at Walpole 27 Febry 1747/8.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 8 March 1747/8.

Prest. Mr. Stehelin, Mr Nicholson,
Mr Ward, Dr Robinson, Mr
Sydenham, Mr Bourdillon
Mr Dalbiac, Mr Dawson, Mr
Berriman, Mr Albinus.

Mr Stehelin ye Chair

1 A Letter was read from The Revd Mr Bolzius one of the Saltzburgh Ministers at Ebenezer in Georgia dated 12 Sept 1747. giving some Acct of himself, his fellow Labourers, & of ye People committed to their Charge.

2 G.D Unknown 5..5..0 The Secry reported that he had receivd & placd to Dr Denne's Acct Five Guineas; being a Benefaction to the Society's General Designs from a Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown, thro' the hands of Dr Hales.

Agreed that Dr Hales be desir'd to give the Society's Thanks to the Benefactress

Letters

Letters were read from Mr Vaughan at Leominster, Mr Parsons at Bedingham, Mr Leman at Kirksto Mr Ellis at Holyhead, Mr Pratt at Winton Mr Gibson at Biggleswade 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 15th March 1747/8

Pres.t Mr Stehelin Mr Sydenham

Mr Stehelin in ye Chair

1 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Archer, dated ye 8 Inst. relating to Dr Carter's Legacy.

2 Agreed that the said Letter, be referr'd to ye Consideration of ye Society at their next Meeting.

3 Letters were read from Dr Sneyd Mr Morgan at Winton Mr Cremer at Windham, Mr Murgatroyd at Leeds, Mr Birch at Dover, Mr Best at Chatham Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer 1747.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 22 Mar: 1747

Pres.t Mr Herrett Mr Sydenha Mr Dawson, Dr Bearcroft, Dr Robinson

Mr Stehelin in ye Chair

1 The Secretary reported that he had rec.d from the Registry of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury the following Extract of ye Will of Katherine Parker, late of East Norton in ye County of Leicester, Wid.o dec.d bearing date 31 May 1746. & now remaining in the s.d Registry amongst other things therein is contain'd as follows to wit "And to the Society for Promoting "Christian Knowledge Fifty Pounds, to be "paid by my Executors, to the Treas.r or Treasurers "for the time being of the said Society, towards "carrying on the Charitable Designs of the said last mention'd Society.

Prov'd at London 16 March 1747.

2 Order'd that ye above Extract be enter'd in the Book of Wills.

3 D.r Robinson presented to the Com.ee 6 Copies of his Book entitl'd the Christian Philosopher, or a Divine Essay upon ye Principles of Man's Universal Redemption: for which the Com.ee gave him their Thanks.

Letters were read from M.r Short at Exon, M.r Crossman at Sudbury, M.r Drake at Swinderby, M.r Archer at London 1747/8.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 29 March 1748
Pres.t M.r Mehelin, M.r Gosling,
M.r Sydenham M.r Dawson, S.r

Sr Jno Phillipps, Dr Denne
Dr Banyer.
Mr Stehelin in ye Chair

1 Saltzburghers 15.. W.B. 5. A Letter was read from Messrs Schalckhauser, Hugel & Vastrani Merch at Venice dated 26 Inst, signifying that he had remitted £20, to be paid to ye Society of wch sum £15 are a Benefaction to ye Saltzburghers at Ebenezer in Georgi & £5 a Benefaction towards a New Impr-on of Welch Bibles.

2 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

3 The Secry reported that he had paid to Mr Ad Denne ye several Benefactions to ye General Designs mentio in ye Minutes of ye 9th, 16th, & 23d Febry & of ye 1st & 8th March, as also ye undermention'd Contributions to ye General Designs no reported before.

G.D.

Rev Mr Hatfield Rec. of Lilley Herts	1.1..
Revd Mr Mitchell Rectr of Grattham Sussex	0.10.
Mr Hollist of Lodsworth in the same County by the Revd Mr Wilson at Cocking	0.5
Revd Mr Carry Rectr of Shipston upon Stower Worcestershre	1.1

Rev.d Mr Henry Owen M.B. of Broadwell near Stow on ye Wold Glocesters. at Admission	1.1
A Clergyman desiring to be Unknown by hands of The Rev.d Mr Tucker of Bristol	1.1
Rev.d Mr Jno Rogers of Warminster Wilts	0.10.6
Mr Alderman Dennison of Leeds	1.1
A Gent. desiring to be Unknown	5.5
Rev.d Mr Gibson of Biggleswade Bedfords.	0.10.6
Rev. Mr Profess.r Chappelow	1.1
Some Persons desiring to be Unknown by the Rev.d Mr Leman of Kirkstead Norfolk	2.2
James Best of Chatham Esq. at Admission	1.1
Samuel Clarke of Ormond Street Esq.	5.5
Rev.d Mr Williams of Brecon	2.2
Rev.d Mr Deane Rect. of Woolhampton Berks at Admission	1.1
Rev.d Mr Drake of Swinderby Lincolns.	1.1
Mr Alderman Drake	1.1
Rev.d Mr Dalton of S. Scarle Nottinghams.	0.10.6

Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the several Benefactors.

4 Mr Sydenham inform'd the Society that he was desir'd to give them the Thanks of the Trustees of the Charity Schools for their past favours to the said Schools, & to desire the Continuance of them.

5 Agreed that Directions be given for Building of Scaffolds at Christ Church with all the Accommodations usual on such Occasions, & that Dr Robinson & Dr Watts be desired to give Orders about it.

6 Agreed that 5000 Hymns be printed for ye use of ye Charity Children

Letters were read from Mr Arnold at Buxton, Mr Stanley at Bury Mr Owen at Broadwell, Mr Pennington at Hunting Mr Schalchsauser & Mr Jastram at Venice, Mr Watkinson at Windsor in America, Mr Wilson at Cocking, Mr Leman at Kirkstead 1740

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 5 April 1740

Pres^t. Mr Stehelin, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Newey, Mr Warcopp, Mr Dawson, Sr John Thorold, Mr Sydenham Mr Dalbiac Dr Robinson Mr Jenkin, Mr Ferrett.

Mr Stehelin in ye Chair

1 Sr Jno Thorold according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the Month ensuing.

2. The Revd Mr Julius Deedes Prebend^ry of Canterbury & The Revd Mr Musell of Maidstone in Kent, both recomm by Mr A.D. Denne were chose Subscribing Members of the Society

3 And the Revd Mr Thos Long Rect. of Finmere near Bucks recommended by Mr Deane of Woolhampton, & the Revd Mr Blyth Curate of Coleshill, recommended by Dr Digby & Mr Carpenter were chose Corresponding Members

4 Order'd that ye Secry do acquaint the abovementiond Gentlemen wth such choice

5 The Society took into consideration the Contents of Mr Archers Letter, referr'd to them by the Comee of 15 March, & agreed that Mr Edward Mr Clendon, Mr Berriman, Mr Newey, & Mr Dobree or any two of them, be appointed to meet Dr Carters Exec.rs take an Acct. of the Society's share & Interest in ye said Dr Carter's Effects, & give ye Exec.rs proper Discharges.

6. Agreed that Saturday ye 30 Inst. be ye Day fixed for Auditing the Society's Accts, & that proper Notice be given to ye Treas. & Auditors

7 Agreed that Dr Bearcroft, Dr Wilson, Sr Jno Phillipps, Sr Jno Thorold, Mr Sydenham, Mr Newey, Mr Bewicke, Mr Dawson, Mr Dobree Senr, Mr Thornton, & Mr Townsend or any three of them, be a Comee for Auditing ye Society's Acct.

8. Agreed that a Bible & Com. Prayer be given to Mr Newey for a young man at Antigua & that a Bible Com. Prayer Book, Testamt, & Spelling book be given to ye Secry for a Poor deserving Family

9 **Agreed** that ye following words be for ye future pasted upon ye back of the Title Page of every Book or Tract dispers'd by the Society, viz. from ye Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge

10 **Agreed** that Mr Oliver do print a sufficient Number of Copies for that purpose, & that in all future Impressions of such Books & Tracts as are ye property of the Society, the said words be printed in the same manner.

11. **Agreed** likewise that it be referr'd to the Comee for ye Welch Bible, to consider whether it may not be proper to have something of ye same kind pasted on ye back of ye Title Page of ye Welch Bible.

12 **Agreed** to adjourn to ye Tuesday after Easter Week, & that ye Secry do dispatch the necessary business of the Society during the Adjournment

13. **Letters** were read from Mr Thomas at Pempio 25 March Bp of Oxford, Dr Sneyd at Sible Hemmingham Mr Wadsworth at How 30 March, Mr Carpenter at Sheldon 28 March, Mr Birch at Dover 28 March, Mr Fenwicke at Hallaton Leicestersh 28 March 1748.

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 19 April 1748.

Prest Mr A. D. Denne, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Sydenham, Mr Berriman Mr Pettius, Mr Albinus, Mr Dawson.

Mr A. D. Denne in ye Chair in ye absence of Sr Jno Thorold.

1 G. D. Sundries 15..12..– The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A. D. Denne, ye following Benefactions to ye General Designs, remitted by the Revd Mr Fenwicke Rect. of Hallaton Leicestrs viz.

From Lady Palmer	1..1..0
Two Ladies desiring to be Unknown	1..1..0
Thos Wilson Esq	1..1..0
Mrs Hester Palmer	1..1..0
Mr Carle	1..1..0
Three Gentlemen Unknown	3..3..0
Two Gentlewomen Ditto	2..2..0
Mr Bewicke	3.0.0
Revd Mr Fenwicke	2.2.0
	£ 15.12.0

W B Sundries 5.15.6. Mr Fenwicke remitted at ye same time £5..15..6 being the Benefactions of several Persons desiring to be unknown towards Printing a New Impression of Welch Bibles &c. wch sum was likewise paid to Mr A. D. Denne.

G. D. 3 North. 2.2.– The Secry paid into ye same hands two Guineas, being a Benefaction to the General

Designs from Robt. North of Scarboro Esqr.

I.M. 3 The Secry further reported that he had recd & paid to Mr Hoare One Guinea as a Benefaction to ye East India Mission, from The Revd Mr Barrett of Midhurst in Sussex.

Mr Barrett 1.1.0

Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye abovemention'd Benefrs.

4 Letters were read from Mr Short of Exeter dated 16 Inst, enclosing a Bill of 5.11.

From Mr Davies at Beverley dated 10th Inst. wth a Bill for 8.8.0

And from Mr Salwey of Worcester dated 13 Inst wth a Bill for 8.8.0

Order'd that ye said Bills be receiv'd & brought to Account.

5. The Govrs of St Georges Hospital having sent 25 Copies of their Annual Acct as a Present to this Society

6 Order'd that the Society's Thanks be return'd for ye same

7. Agreed that ye Minute of ye 5th Inst ordering that the following Words be for the future pasted upon ye back of ye Title Page of every Book or Tract dispers'd by ye Society viz From the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge be further consider'd at their next meeting of ye Society.

Bartlets Buildi

Tuesday 26 April 1748

Prest. Mr. A.D. Denne Dr. Bearcroft, Mr. Sydenham, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Newey, Mr. White Mr. Stehelin, Mr. Terrett.

Mr. A.D. Denne in the Chair in the Absence of Sr. Jno. Thorold.

1 W B Mr. Fleming 5 Mr. A.D. Denne reported that he had receiv'd from The Rt. Revd. the Ld. Bp. of Ely £5.— being the Gift of the late Revd. Mr. David Fleming of Norwich deceas'd towards an Impress. of Bibles in the Welch Language.

2 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to his Ldship for ye Payment of ye Benefact

3 The following Tract entitled the Sin & Danger of Neglecting the Publick Service of the Church, plainly set forth &ca. was recomended by Mr. Doughty, Mr. Stehelin & Mr. Dawson as prope & requisite to promote the Designs of the Society.

4 Agreed that the said Tract be referr'd to the Perusal of Dr. Denne, Dr. Bearcroft & Mr. Bourdillon, & Dr. Robinson, & that they be desir'd to report their Opinion thereof as soon as may be.

5 Letters were read from Mr. Ward at Fulha Mr. Fenwick at Hallaton, Mr. Muriell at Maidstone 21. April 1748.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 3d May 1748

Pres.t S.r Jn.o Thorold, M.r White M.r Sydenham, M.r A D Denne, D.r Jenner M.r Bromsal, M.r Albinus, M.r Bourdillon, M.r Bailey,

S.r Jn.o Thorold in ye Chair

M.r Sydenham reported that D.r Bearcroft, M.r Newey, M.r Thornton M.r Dawson & himself had attended as a Comee for Auditing the Treas.rs Accounts of the Society last Saturday, & that ye same being Abstracted consisted of the following Articles viz

On Account of ye Society's Designs in General

Receipts by M.r A D Denne Casual Benefactions including ye Ball.a of 223.13.4 due last Audit	920.12.7½
Payments for ye Society's General Designs	618.6.1
Ballance due to the Society in the hands of M.r A D Denne	302.6.6

Brot Over £ 302.6.6½

On Account of Mrs Palmer's Legacy of £4000.–.–

Receipts by Mr A D Denne including the Ballance of £10.2.8½ due last Audit	182.2.8½
Payments by Ditto for the East India Mission	150.2.–
Ballance due to ye Society in ye hands of Mr A D Denne	32.0.8½

On Account of the Arabick Impressn

Receiv'd as p Ballance of ye last Years Account by Mr A D Denne	38.13.4½
Payments by Ditto	1.0.0
Balla in the hands of Mr A D Denne	37.13.4½

On Account of the East India Mission

Receivd by Benjn Hoare Esqr Casual Benefactions	27.6.–
Payments by Ditto	26.5.–
Balla in the hands of Mr Hoare	1.1.–

Carrd Forward £

Brot Over £

Receipts by Mr Gosling including the Ballance of 67.17.0½ due from Henry Hastings Esqr late Treasr to the Society	445.3.6½
Payments by Ditto	150.18.4
Ballance due to the Society in Mr Gosling's hands	294.5.2½
Total of Ballances due to ye Society	667.6.1
Arrears of Sub: Members due at Lady day last	377.5..
Ballance due to ye Society from their late Treasurer Robt Wilham Esqr	188.18.2
	566.3
£	1233.10

2 Agreed that ye Thanks of the Society be given to ye Comee of Receipts & Payments for their care in keeping ye Accots of ye Society, & to ye Comee for Auditing them

3 The Revd. Mr A.D Yardley, propd by Dr Bearcroft & Mr Sydenham & Mr Claude Bonsanquet Merchnt in London proposd by Messrs Newey & Dalbiac:

And

And the Revd Mr Saml Knight
Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, propos'd
by Mr A. D. Denne, were chose Subscribing
Members of this Society.

4 Order'd that the Sectys do Acquaint
ye above named Gentlemen wth such choice.

5 Mr A. D. Denne according to Rotation
was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

6 Upon reconsidering ye Minute of 5th
April, ordering that the following words be
pasted upon ye back of the Title Page of every
Book or Tract, dispers'd by the Society, viz
From the Society for Promoting Christian
Knowledge, agreed that ye st be dismiss'd

7 Mr Sydenham reported that The
Revd Dr Bearcroft had preach'd an Excellent
Sermon at the Anniversary Meeting of the
Charity Children at Christ Church, on Thursday
28 April last: & that he had consented to Print
the same.

8 Agreed that 1500 Copies of the
said Sermon be printed wth ye like Number
of ye Acct of ye Proceedings of ye Society annex'd

9 Mr Oliver agreed to Print ye Anniver-
-sary Sermon & Acct at one Guinea ꝑ Sheet.

10. Agreed that Mr A. D. Denne be desir'd
to peruse & Correct, as he shall think proper the
Accounts of the Society to be published this Year

Agreed

11 Agreed that Tuesday ye 17 Inst. be ye Day appointed, for ye Anniversar Meeting to dine together at ye Crown & Ancho Tavern in ye Strand

12 Agreed that an Abstract of ye Society's Proceedings for ye last Year ending at ye Audit 30 April 1748, be prepar'd by the Secry, in order to its being read at the Anniversary Meeting.

13 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & paid to Mr A D Denne ye under-mention'd Benefactions to ye Genl Designs viz

G D Sundries 3.3.–

From the Revd Mr Salwey at Worcester 2.2.–

A Country Clergyman by ye Secry 1.1.–

14 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

15 Letters were read from Mr Wise at Harlow 29 April Mr Cotton at Etwall Mr Knight at Chertsey 23 April Mr Lidgold at Harmsworth April 1748.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 10 May 1748

Prest Sr Jno Thorold Dr Bearcroft Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Bromsall Mr Ferrett, Mr Dawson, Mr Bunbury, Mr Sydenham Mr Canham.

Sr Jno Thorold in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Dr Denne.

1 The Secry reported from the Comee appointed to meet Dr Carter's Executors to take an Account of the Society's Share & Interest in the said Dr Carter's Effects, & give ye Executors proper Discharges, that the Executors had given in their Accounts to the entire satisfaction of ye Comee, & paid into ye hands of the Secry £95.4.6 being the remainder of the Legacy of the said Dr Carter.

2. Ordered that the Thanks of ye Society be given to Dr Carter Executors for their extraordi=nary care & Trouble in this Affair, & for ye Payment of the Legacy.

3 Agreed also, that a Packet of small Tracts to ye Amount of 40s be given to The Revd Mr Parr, one of the Executors to distribute in his Parish.

4. Letters were read from Mr Tucker at Cornwell 2 May Bp of Oxford 22 April Mr Best at Chatham 20 April, Mr Jenkin at London Mr Knight at Cambridge 8 May 1748.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 17 May 1748

Prest. Dr Bridges Mr Yardley
Mr Bromsall, Mr Dawson,
Mr Warcopp, Sir Jno Thorold,
Mr Bailey, Mr Ferrett,
Dr Robinson Dr Bearcroft.
Mr Canham Dr Denne,
Mr Bourdillon

Dr Denne in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had paid to Mr A. D. Denne the residue of Dr Carter's Legacy mentioned in ye Minutes of 10th Inst, as also ye undermention'd Benefactions to ye General Designs recd since, viz,

G D
Sundries
13.13.–

From Chris: Goulton Esqr	1.1.–
Revd Mr Clarke	1.1.–
Revd Mr Mease	.10.6
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown by Do	2.2.–
Mrs Hyde	.10.6
Revd Mr Trotter Rectr of Gravely Huntingdonse at Admissn	1.1.–
Revd Mr Monoux Rectr of Sandy Bedfords	1.1.–
Mr Claude Bosanquet Mercht at Admission	3.3.–

Mr Robarts by The Revd Mr Fenwick 1.1.–

Revd Mr E. Wilson of Westmeston in Sussex at Admission } 1.1.–

Revd Dr Bridges V. of Rivenhall Essex .10.6

Do for a Person Unknown 10.6

Orderd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 Mr A. D. Yardley giving his Company at ye Board, subscrib'd to promote ye Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr A. D. Denne as his Benefaction at Admission, for which ye Commee gave him their Thanks

G. B.
Mr Yardley
1.1.–

3 Mr Wilson brought a Specimen of paper for Printing ye Anniversary Sermon & Acct & agreed to serve ye Society at 10s p Ream

4. A Bill of Expences at ye Anniversary Meeting of ye Charity Children, amounting to 19.9.0 was laid before ye Comee

5 Agreed that Mr A. D. Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bill

6 Agreed that an Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for ye last Year be read at ye Anniversary Meeting

7 Letters were read from Mr Yardley at Highgate 10 May, Mr Blyth at Coleshill 11 May, Mr Edwards at Ockham 11 May Mr Linton at Frieston 4 May, Mr Ledgold at Harmsworth 16 May Lady Smithson

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 24 May 1748
Pres.t Mr A. D. Denne, Sr Jn.o Thorold, Mr Bromsall
Mr Dawson, Mr Ravaud
Mr Morgan, Dr Vernon
Mr Albinus
Dr Denne in ye Chair

1 Mr A. D. Denne reported that he had rec.d of Mr Comyn Accompt. of the Corporation of Clergymen's Sons the sum of 52.13.6, as a 1/4 part of ye neat produce of the Estate of Willingham in Cambridgs.e from Lady day 1744 to Micha.s 1746, being two years & a 1/2 Rent bequeathed in perpetuity to this Society by the late Rev.d Mr Samuel Saywell.

2 Agreed that Mr A. D. Denne be desired to pay to Mr Comyn, a Guinea, as a Gratuity for his Trouble in keeping these Accounts

3. G D
Fra. Merrill
5.5–
( ) Mr A. D. Denne at ye desire of the Rev.d Mr Francis Merril of Maidstone in Kent, subscribed for him Five Guineas a Year, & signifyed that he had rec.d three Guineas from him, being his Benefact.n at Admission: & likewise 2 Guineas more for the General Designs

4 At the same time Mr Archdeacon at ye desire of the Revd Mr Julius Deedes Preb. of Canterbury, subscrib'd for him 2 Guineas a Year & reported three Guineas recd as a Benefaction at his Admission.

G.D.
Mr Deedes
3..3..—

5 Mr A.D. Denne likewise reported a Benefaction of 2 Guineas, paid by him to Mr Hoare, from the Revd Mr Barrell, Prebendy of Rochester.

E.I.M.
Mr Barrell
2..2..—

6 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

7 Agreed that the Thanks of this Society be sent to the Society for Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign parts, for 100 Copies of their Anniversary Sermon, preach'd by the Lord Bp of St Asaph.

8 Mr A.D. Denne reported that at the Anniversary Meeting of the Society on Tuesday last, there was collected after Dinner for Objects of Charity the Sum of £8..18..0 & that Dr Pelling had paid into his hands £9 being the charitable Legacy of the late Dugal Campbell Esqr. towards the Release of Poor Prisoners for Debt.

9 Agreed that what Money shall be found at ye opening of the Charity Box, be applied towards ye Release of poor Debtors

10 Agreed that ye undermention'd Persons be reliev'd wth ye Money collected at ye Anniversary Meeting in ye following Proportions viz

Wm

Wid^o Johnson	recomended by Col. Hudson	10.6
Wid^o Brooks	Sr Jno Thorold	10.6
Wid^o Chadwick	Ditto	5..
Jos: Avodio	Dr Pelling	10.6
Mrs Ackworth	Dr Denne	10.6
Wid^o Parish	Ditto	7.6
Wid^o Nutkin	Ditto	10..
Wid^o Bell		10.6
Wid^o Lyde		5..
Wid^o Wilson	Sr Jno Thorold	5..
Wid^o Nelson	Mr Warcopp	7.6
Wid^o Williams	Mr Clendon	7.6
Wid^o Worlidge	Mrs Berriman	7.6
Revd Mr Malcubine	Ditto	10.6
Wid^o Baugh	Mr Burgenter	7.6
Mrs Musgrave	Mr Berriman	10.6
Martha Vicars	Mr Watts	7.6
Wid^o Lamkin	Ditto	5..
Wid^o Huddleston	Mr Broughton	9..
Mr Ottolenghe	Ditto	10.6
Sarah Bennell	Mr Stockwell	5..
P. Cholmley	the Comee	5..
		8.18..

11 Agreed to Adjourn to ye Tuesday after Whitsun Week & that ye Secry do dispatch the necessary Business of the Society during the Adjournment.

Letters

Letters were read from Dr Th
at Presteign 20 May, Mr Morgan at Winton
Bp of Chester 18 May, Mr Yardley 20 May
Mr Edwards at Lanbadarn fawr 16 May
Mr Marchant at Edburton 14 May 1748

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 7 June 1748

Prest. Mr A. D. Denne, Mr Yardley,
Mr Ferrett, Sr Jno Thorold, Dr
Pelling, Mr Venn, Mr Stehelin
Mr Tilleux, Mr Dobree Sen
Mr Dawson.

Mr A. D. Denne in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid the undermentiond Benefactions to Mr A. D. Denne, viz.

G.D.
Sundries
2.12.6

To the General Designs

From the Revd Mr Knight Fellow of Trinity Coll. Cambridge at Adm. } 2.2.–

Revd Mr Baker of Heddenham Norfolk } .10.6

W B
Mr Monoux
0.10:6

To the Welch Bible

From the Revd Mr Monoux Rect. of Sandy Bedfords. } ".10.6

2. The Secry further reported that he had recd £10 from a Charitable Lady for the Releasing Poor Debtors thro' the hands of the Lord Bp of Oxford.

Poor Debtors
Unknown
£10

3 Mr. A. D. Yardley according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the Month ensuing

4 Richd. Morgan Esqr. of Mortlake, Surry recommended by Sr. Jno. Thorold.

Jno. Horne Esqr. recommended by Mr. Caren & Mr. Sydenham: and the Revd. Mr. Trotter Rectr. of Graveley Huntingdonsr. recommended by Mr. Bunbury were chose Subscribing Members of this Society.

5 And the Revd. Mr. James Parker Rectr. of Great Rollright Oxfordsr. recommended by Mr. Tucker of Cornwell in that County was chose a Corresponding Member

5. Ordered that ye Secrys do Acquaint ye abovementioned Gentn. of such choice

6 Agreed that 12 Arabick New Testaments be given to Mr. Wm. Wogan of Eton at his Request, to be sent to his Son Accomptant to ye East India Company's Factory at Dacca, in Bengal, & that the Son be desir'd to inform the Society whether there be an opportunity of dispersing any more of them in those Parts.

7. Agreed that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Trustees for Georgia for 24 Copies of their Anniversary Sermon preach'd by the Revd. Mr. Thoresby Rect. of Stoke Newington

Newington in Middx & that the Thank
be likewise given to the Trustees of Westmin
Infirmary for 40 Copies of their Annual Acct
from their first Institution in 1719 to ye 30
March 1748.

8 A Book entitled the Childs Christian
Education having been referr'd to four Memb
& wth amendments approved was admitted upon
the Catalogue by Balloting at 5.

9 The Secry presented to the Society 50
Copies of a small Tract, entitled The Christian
Soldier or the Duties of a Religious Life recom-
mended to the Army from the example of
Cornelius; wch the Board was pleased to accept.

10 Letters were read from Mr Friend at
Witney 28 May, Mr Blundell at Leverpoole
6 June, Mr Brown at Tavistock 27 May
Mr Gurdon at Bures 30 May, Mr Verelst
at Westmr 7 June, Mr Parry at Shipston
2 June, Mr Smalbroke at Lichfield 20 May

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 14 June 1748

Pres. Sr Jno Thorold Mr Dawson
Mr A D Yardley Dr Denne
Dr Bearcroft, Mr Stehelin

Mr A D Yardley in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he ha
recd & paid to Mr Jas D. Denne ye undermentd
Benefactions to ye General Designs viz

G.D.
Sundries
5.15.6

From Mrs Mary Fry, Mrs Mar:
Kent, Mrs Janet Kempe
Half a Guinea each } 1.11.6
Revd Mr Jno Ingram Rect. of
Whichford Warwicksh at Adm } 1.1.–
Mrs Catmore in Fore Str. London 1.1.–
A Lady desiring to be Unknown 1.1.–
Mr Rd Marchant at Edburton
Sussex at Admission } 1.1.–

2 Dr Denne reported that he had
recd the following Benefactions to the
Welch Bible, viz.

W.B.
Sundries
1.11.6

From Mr A.D. Yardley 1.1.–
Mrs Condamine of Windsor –.10.6

3 Agreed that the thanks of ye Society
be given to the several above nam'd Benefactors

4 The Secretary having mentioned
George New a Prisoner for Debt in the
Fleet Prison, as a proper Object of Charity
Agreed that 2 Guineas be allotted
for his Relief, out of ye Money set apart
for Poor Debtors

5. The Secrys reported that they had
recd 25 Copies (in French) of an Accoun
of ye Charity Schools set up at Lausann
in Switzerland: as also six Copies of a

Liturgy

Liturgy or Form of Prayer made use of in thei
Schools being a Present to this Society from
a Society of the like kind at Lausanne

6 Ordered that thanks be given for the same & that 12 Copies of the Anniversary Sermon & Acct. of this Society be sent in return for their present.

7. Letters were read from Mr. Ligoud 10 June, Mr. Tucker at Cornwell 8 June Mr. Wise at Harlow 8 June Dr. Young at Welling Mr. Velley at Ongar 1748

Bartlets Building
Tuesday 21 June 1748

Present Mr. A.D. Yardley Sr.
Mr. Thorold, Mr. Dawson
Mr. Ferrette, Mr. Stehelin
Mr. A.D. Yardley in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had

G.D recd. & carried to Dr. Dennes Acct. One Guinea

Mr Morgan being a Benefaction to the General Designs

1..1.. from Mr. W Morgan of Mortlake at his Admission as a Member

2 A Letter was read from the Danish Missionaries at Tranquebar, dated 10 Apr. 1747.

As was also a Letter from the Revd. Mr. Kiernander ye Society's Missionary at Cudulore dated 27 April in the same Year.

3 W B Mr Dunster 5.5.0 Mr Watts reported from Sr Joseph Hankey, a Benefaction of 5 Guineas to ye Welch Bible, from Wm Dunster of Layton Stone Esqr.

Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactor

4 Mr Dod according to an Order of 3 Novr 1747, inform'd the Comee that Dr Woodwards Dissuasive from Gaming was out of Print

5. Agreed that the said Tract be referred to ye Perusal of Mr A D Yardley & that he be desired to make such Alterations in it as he shall think proper.

6 Letters were read from Mr Bate at Ashby 15 June; Mr Parker at Great Rollright; Mr Stanley at Leverpoole 12 June; Mr Morgan at Mortlake 15 June; Mr Stead at Rygate 21 June 1748

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 28 June 1748

Pres. Mr A D Yardley, Sr Jno Thorold, Mr Berriman, Mr Dawson, Mr Stehelin, Mr Albinus, Dr Bearcroft.

Mr. A. D. Yardley in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had
G D received & carried to Dr. Dennes Acct Four
Unknown Guineas, being Benefactions to ye General
4. 4s Designs from two Ladies desiring to be
Unknown thro' ye hands of S. Torriano Esqr.

2 Agreed that Mr Torriano be
desir'd to give the Societys thanks for the
Benefactions.

3 The Secry likewise made a report
G D of a Guinea recd from Mrs Astley as a
Mrs Astley Benefaction to the General Designs
1. 1s

4 Mr. Stephen Austen having sent as
a Present a Book entitled The Old & New
Testament explain'd by Question & Answer
from the Writings of the most eminent Historians
Divines & Commentators: inscribed by him
to this Society.

5 Orderd that the Thanks of ye Society
be given to Mr Austen for his present.

6 Mr. A. D. Yardley made a report
of the Alterations wch he judg'd necessary
to be made in Dr Woodwards Tract against
Gaming & the same having been read and
approved off by the Comee, it is agreed to
refer them to ye Consideration of ye Society

7. The Secry informing the Comee that
several poor Debtors, (some of wch he judges
to,

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to be proper Objects of Charity) are at present detained in ye Marshalsea Prison, only for their Fees:

8 Agreed that £5 be given for their Release, out of the Charity Money, set apart for that purpose.

9 Letters were read from Mr Ward at Fulham 27 June, Mr Bromsall at Blunham 25 June, Mr Perronet at Shoreham 27 June, Mr Williams at Penshurst 29 June, Dr Wilson at Tunbridg 30 June 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 5 July 1748
Prest. Mr A D Yardley.
Mr Butjenter, Mr Newey,
Mr Trevanion, Mr Berrima
Sr John Thorold Mr Danso
Dr Robinson, Mr Doughty

Mr A. D. Yardley
in the Chair

1 Mr Butjenter according to Rotation was desird to be Chairma for the Month ensuing

2 Mr Richd Marchant at Colbur in Sussex recommended by Mr Osborn, the Revd Mr Jno Ingram, Rect of Whichford in Warwicksr recomended by Mr Parry, & Wm Stead M.A. Vicar of Reigate in Surry recommended by Paul Humfrey Esqr were chose Subscribing Members of this Society.

3 And the Revd Mr Howell Rector of Kellan in ye County of Cardigan recommended by Mr A D Yardley, & the Revd Mr Strensham Master, of Croston in Lancas recommended by Mr Stanley were chose Corresponding Members

4. Order'd that ye Secrys do acquaint the abovementiond Gentlemen wth such Choice

5. Agreed that a Comee for the Welch Bibles be summoned to meet on Tuesday next to receive Proposals about binding the Bibles, & that Mr Dod & Mr Oliver do at that time bring in their Proposals sealed up; as also a bound Book by way of Specimen

6 Agreed that the two Mapps for the Welch Bibles be work'd off under the Direction of Mr Overton

7 Agreed that 15000 Copies of the Collect for the 2d Sunday in Advent be printed (in Welch) in order to their being pasted before the Welch Bibles

Mr

8 Mr Oliver being called in agreed to print that Number at 3. 6 pr Thousand.

9. Ordered that Mr Watts in the Absence of Dr Denne do pay Mr Olivers Bill of £4. 14. 2½ part being for Rent of a Warehouse, & part for binding Books

10. The Society agreed wth ye Comee in ye Alterations made by Mr Yardley in Dr Woodwards Dissuasive from Gaming

11 Agreed that Mr Dod may reprint the above tract wth ye Alterations

Letters were read from Mr Trevanion & Mr Welles, Dr Nicolls at Hertford, 10 July Mr Monoux at Sandy 1 July Mr Punderson at Grotton in New England, 11 April Mr Holiday at Bermuda 26 May, Mr Parker at Great Rollright 8 July 1748

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 12th July 1748

Presᵗ Mr Buljenter, Sr Jno. Thorold, Mr A. D. Yardley Mr Gosling Mr Trevanion, Mr Terrett, Dr Dawson, Mr Doughty Mr Fleh Dr Robinson Dr Bearcroft.

Mr Butgenter in the Chair

1 Mr Trevanion paid to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne ye undermentiond Benefactions to the General Designs viz.

G:l D.
Sundries. 2:2:–
E. I. M.
pr Devers
2:2:–

From the Revd Mr Wells of Lestbury in Glocesters. … } 1.1.–

Rd Mr Welles of Cowley Do 1.1.–

And towards ye support of the East India Mission from Mr Devers of Windsor & his Daughters } 2.2.–

2 Agreed that Mr Trevanion be desired to give ye thanks of ye Society to the Benefactors.

3 Agreed that Mr Oliver do print 500 blank Receipts for Packets, as also the same No for Benefactions to the Society's General Designs

4 Letters were read from the Bp of Oxford at Cuddesden 23 June, Mr Yardley at Highgate 27 June, Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 28 June, Mr Harrison at Cirencester. Mr Doughty at Wispington 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 19 July 1748

Prest Mr Butgenter, Mr Stehelin Mr Bourdillon, Mr Arnald Mr Albinus, Mr Ferrett, Mr Pittis Mr Dobree, Sr Jno Thorold

Mr Bulgenter in the Chair.

1 Mr Dod according to an Order of 3 Novr 1747 informed the Comee that Dr Woodwards persuasive to the Serious Observance of the Lords Day, was near out of Print

2 Agreed that ye said Tract be referred to ye Perusal of Mr Dobree, & that he be desired to make such Alterations in it, as he shall think proper before it be reprinted

3. Agreed that ye Corrections made by Dr Denne in a Tract entitled the Sin & Danger, of neglecting the Publick Service of the Church be laid before ye Society

Ordered

4. That ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to Mr D. Law for 100 Copies of his Considerations on the State of the World with regard to the Theory of Religion

5 Mr Watts reported from Mr Hoare that he had recd a Legacy of £100.. — bequeathed to this Society by the late Dr Andrews

6. Agreed that ye thanks of the Society be sent to ye Drs Executors for the Payment of the same

7 Upon reading a Letter from Dr Isaac Watts dated 17 Inst. wherein he requests, that he may have 500 Copies of the Welch Bible &c. out of ye 1500 allotted him by the Society

8 Agreed that Dr Watts may have that Number upon the Terms of ye Society

9. Order'd that Mr Watts do write to Mr Bentham at Cambridge, directing him to send up 1000 more Copies of the Welch Bible.

Letters were read from Mr Loman at Kirksted 9 July Mr Howell at Rampton 17 July Mr Tucker at Cornwell 7 July Mr Marchant at Edburton 16 July Mr Harrison at Cirencester 16 July Mr Ingram at Whichford 14 July Mr Thompson at New York 12 May 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 26 July 1748

Prest Mr Butjenter, Sr John Thorold, Mr Gosling, Mr Stehelin Mr Albinus, Mr Wartopp.

Mr Butjenter in ye Chair

1. The Secry reported that he had received & carried to Dr Dennes Acct the undermentioned Benefactions to the General Designs viz

From

G D

Sundries 4 „ 4 „	From a Wid^o Gentlewoman Orphans of the R^d Mr Tucker of Bristol	1 „ 1 „
	R^d Mr Parker of Great-Rollright, Oxfordshire	1 „ 1 „
	R^d Mr Cookson of Leeds, in Yorkshire	1 „ 1 „
	R^d Mr Stead, Vic. of Reigate in Surrey at Admission	1 „ 1 „

Ordered

That ye thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

2. A Letter was read from the R^d Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia dated 19 April 1748, giving some further Account of the religious & civil State of the Saltzburghers.

3. Letters were read from Mr Watkinson at New Windsor, Mr Williams at Penshurst 22^d July Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 19 July Mr Stanley at Leverpoole 2^d May 1748

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 2. August 1748

Present

Mr Yardley Mr Butjenter
Mr Bourdillon Sr Jno Thorold
Mr Butjenter in ye Chair

1 Mr Bourdillon according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

2 The Revd Mr George Stephens Canon of Windsor, recommended by Dr Booth & the Revd Mr Gibson Archdeacon of Essex was chose a Subscribing Member.

3 Order'd that the Secrys do Acquaint him wth such choice.

4 A Tract entitl'd the Sin & Danger of Neglecting the Publick Service of the Church, wth ye Corrections made by Mr AD Denne was laid before ye Society, & with some amendments approv'd, & admitted upon ye Catalogue by Balloting, Price 3 single or 20s p hundred.

5. Agreed that 50 Copies of a small Tract, entitled Motives & Encouragements to bear Afflictions Patiently be given to Mr Bourdillon, for the use of the French Hospital

Order'd

6 That ye Anniversary Sermon preach'd by the Revd Dr Bearcroft wth an Acct of ye Proceedin of the Society annexed be sent to all the Subscribing & Corresponding Members & also to the Benefactors mentioned at ye end of ye Acct for the last Year.

7 Agreed that Presents of the said Sermon be made as follows

To the Revd Dr Bearcroft as many as he pleases.
120 to ye Charity Schools
24 to ye Clergy of London who attended ye Sermon, to be sent to Mr Berrema
50 to ye Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.
28 to the Court of Directors of ye East India Company.
24 to ye Society in London, Correspond with ye Society in Ireland
24 to the Society in London, Corresponding wth the Society in Scotland
24 to the Govrs of St Georges Hospital
24 to ye Govrs of Westmr Infirmary
24 to ye Govrs of the London Infirmary
12 to the Trustees for Georgia

18 To the Revd Dr Hales
6. To the Revd Dr Wilson
12 To the Revd Dr Denne
6 To the Mr Minister & Church Wardens of Christ Ch
24 To the University of Oxford to be sent
to the Revd Dr Pardoe
24 To the University of Cambridge to be sent
to the Revd Dr Long.

8 Agreed to Adjourn to the last Tuesday in the present Month, and that ye Secry. do dispatch the necessary Business of ye Society during the Adjournment.

Letters were read from Mr Townsend at London, Mr Pages at Farnboro, Mr Wo at Fulham, 29 July Mr Nairn at Battle 29 July, Mr Howell at Kilkennin 19 July 1748

Bartlet's Buildings.
Tuesday 30th Augt. 1748
Present

Mr A. D. Yardley. Mr Butjenter
Sr Jno Thorold Mr Hanham.

Mr A. D. Yardley in ye Chair

1. Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Revd Mr Church for 12 Copies of a Sermon, Preach'd by him at ye Funeral of the Revd Mr Cawley late Vicar of Wandsworth.

Letters were read from Dr Hussey at W. Wickham 21 Augt Mr Owen at Broadwell 25 Aug. Mr Gibson at Biggleswade 20 Aug. Mr Colborn at Walpole 24 Augt Mr Crew at Muxon 24 Augt Mr Broughton at Leicester 25 Aug. Mr Ingram at Whichford 22 Augt Mr Ault at Aalsey 26 Augt Mr Birch at Dover Mr Marshall at Allesley 25 Augt 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 6 Sepr 1748
Present

Mr Morgan Mr Berriman
Mr Stehelin, Mr Pittius, Mr Dobre

Mr Morgan in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Bourdillon

The Revd Dr Francis Walwyn Prebendary of Canterbury, recommended by Dr Denne.

The Revd Mr John Pidding Rectr of Kighley in Yorksh. recomended by Mr Terri

The Revd Mr John Gorman Vica of Mayfield in Sussex recommended by Mr Sawy

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And the Revd Mr James Parr Rectr of Would in Northamptonsr recommended by Dr Jenner & Mr Jones of Alconbury were chose Subscribing Members of the Society.

2 And the Revd Dr King of Cheam in Surry, recommended by Mr Canham was chose a Corresponding Member.

Order'd that ye Secry do acquaint the abovenamed Gentlemen with such choice

3 The Revd Mr Morgan according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

4 Order'd that Mr Watts do write to Mr Bentham at Cambridge directing him to send up 1000 more Copies of ye Welch Bibles.

5 Agreed at the Motion of Mr Berriman that The Revd Mr Maddox a Prisoner for Debt in Ludgate, be released out of ye Money set apart by the Society for Discharging confined Debtors

6. Letters were read from Dr Stonehouse at Northampton 29 Aug. Mr Bailey at Wrentham 31 Aug. Mr Draper at Temple Newsam 3 Sepr. Bp of Chester 31 Augt. Dr Osborn at Clifton 29 Augt. Mr Micklethwait at Leeds Yorks 3 Sepr 1748

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 13 Septemr 1748

Present

Mr Morgan, Mr Pittius, Mr Berriman, Mr Gosling
Mr Dobree

Mr Morgan in ye Chair

1
G D
Sundries
Unknown
3..3..-

The Secry reported that he had receiv'd & carried to Dr Denne's Acct the undermentioned Benefactions to the General Designs viz.

From a Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown by the hands of Dr Hales	3..3..-
Mr John Godman Vicar of Mayfield in Sussex at Admission	1..1..-
Mr John Pidding Rector of Kighley in Yorksr at Do	1..1..-
Revd Mr Burton of Chesterfield	2..2..-

E I M
Part of the Produce of a Legacy 5..8..-

The Secry further reported that he had rec'd & paid to Mr Hoare £5.8.– as a Benefaction to ye East India Mission from Sr Jno Thorold, being part of ye Produce of a Legacy to him for religious & Charitable Uses

Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

Letters were read from Mr Bask at Exeter 10 Sepr. Mr Bates at Horncastle Mr Ebdel at Ansley Mr Hildrop at Wath, Mr Cobb at Witchurch Mr Davies at Brecon Mr Shaw at Atherstone Mr Cartwright at Wroxceter Mr Cradock at Woolverhampton, Mr Fenwick at Hallaton Mr Grimwood at Dedham 6 Sepr. 1748

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 20 Sepr. 1748

Present

Mr Morgan Mr Stehelin Mr Bourdillon, Mr Dobree Dr Robinson

Mr Morgan in ye Chair

1 The Govrs. of ye London Infirmary having sent as a Present to this Society 25 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before them by the Lord Bp of Bristol.

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Govrs. of the London Infirmary for their Present

3 Letters were read from Mr Master of Croston Mr Swinton at Kutsford

Mr Bowyer at Martock Mr Parsons at Hemnal Mr Linton at Frieston 12 Sepr Mr Wilson at Cocking Mr Hartley at Winwick Mr White Dr King at Cheam 17 Sepr 1748

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 27 Sepr 1748

Present

Mr Stehelin Mr Noville.
Mr Dobree,

Mr Steheling in the Chair in ye Absence of Mr Morgan

1 Agreed that 5000 Church Catechis be Printed in the Welch Tongue, for the benefit of the Poor in Wales at ye request of Mr G. Jones on ye Terms of ye Society.

2 Mr Dobree pursuant to an Orde of ye 19 July laid before ye Comee Dr Woodwards Earnest perswasive to the Serious Observance of ye Lds day with several Amendments made to it wch were approved of, referr'd to the Society at their next Meeting for their approbation that ye said Tract may be reprinted

Agreed that a Packet of Tracts to the value of 20s be given to the Revd Mr Pa of Hemnal near Norwich, for the two Charity Schools in his Parishes

Letters were read from Mr Daw at Virginia 1st July, Dr Walwyn at Canterbury Mr Tetding at Keighley 20 Sepr. Mr Collins at St Teath, Mr Shaw at Atherstone 23 Sepr. 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 4th Octr. 1748
Present

Mr Stehelin — Mr Doughty
Mr Bulgenter — Mr Persehouse
Mr Bourdillon — Mr Pitteus
Mr Gosling — Mr Dobree

Mr Stehelin in the Chair in the absence of Mr Morgan.

1 Mr Gosling according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

2 The Revd Mr Dod Rector of Conington Huntingdons. recommended by Mr Bourdillon was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society at ye same time Mr Dod sent two Guineas as his Benefactn at Admission wch were paid to the Secry in the absence of Dr Denn.

G.D.
Mr Dod
2.2.–

Order'd

Order'd

3 That Notice be given to Mr Dod, of his being chose a Memb & that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent him for his Benefaction.

4 The Secry reported that he had receiv'd of William Sothby Esqr One of the Executors of the late Mrs Eliz: Cripse deceas'd. One Hundred Pounds being part of a charitable Legacy left under his Direction, & wch he desires may be applied towards Printing & Publishing ye Bible in ye Welch Language.

W Be
Legacy 100

5 Order'd that ye Secry do wait upon Mr Sothby & assure him that the above sum shall be applied according to his Directions and that he be desir'd to Accept ye Thanks of the Society & for ye kind regard wch he has shewn to them on this Occasion.

6 The Society agreed wth ye Comee in their Opinion of Dr Woodwards Earnes Persuasive to a Serious Observance of ye Lds day, as corrected by Mr Dobree, & consented that ye said Tract should be reprinted wth Amendments.

7 Mr Robt Wilsonn laid a Bill before ye Society for Paper for Printing ye Anniversary Sermon, amounting to 18.10

Order'd that Mr Watts do pay the said Bill in ye absence of Dr Denne.

Letters were read from Dr Young, Mr Godman, Mr Baynes Mr Watson Dr Barnet, Mr Peters Mr Thomas Mr Ba Mr Potter, Mr Brown Mr Udell Mr Varlo

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Bartletts Buildings
Tuesday 11 October 1748
Present

Mr Pittois Dr Cartwright
Mr Gosling

Mr Gosling in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had received ye following Benefactions & carried them to Dr Denne's Account viz.

To the General Designs

G D Sundries 7.7.— Part of the Produce of a Legacy ꝑ hands of Sr Jno Thorold } 5.5.—

From the Revd Mr Draper Chaplain to the Rt Honble the Ld Viscount Irwyn ..... } 1.1.0

A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown ꝑ hands of the Rd Mr Moore Lecturer of St Bartholomew ye less } 1.1.0

To the Welch Bible

From a charitable Lady remitted by ye Rd Mr Owen of Broadwell Glocr } 1.1.0

E.J.M.

Mr Cock 2.2.0 The Secry further reported that he had recd of Mr Cock ye hands of the Revd Mr Perronet of Shoreham Kent as a Benefaction to ye East India Mission. 2.2

Order'd that the thanks of the Society be sent to ye Above mentioned Benefactor.

Letters were read from Mr Owen, Mr North, Mr Stanley Mr Parker, Mr Osborn 1748

Bartlets Building
Tuesday 18th Octo. 1748.

Present

Mr Stehelin, Mr Pettius, Mr Moo

Mr Stehelin in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Gosling

The Committee met & order'd ye several Packets requested by the Members to be sent them.

Letters were read from Dr Bowtell Mr Howlett at Rampton Mr Godman at Mayfield 11 Octr Mr Warcopp at Teddington Mr Evans at London 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 25 October 1748
Present
Mr A.D. Cartwright & Mr Berriman
Mr A.D. Cartwright in ye Chair
in ye absence of Mr Gosling

1 The Secry reported that he had waited upon the Bishop of St Asaph w.th the Subscription Book, & that his Ldship had Subscribed Four Guineas a Year, towards Promoting the Society's Designs, & had given One Guinea as his Benefaction at Admission

G D
Bp of
St Asaph
1.1.–

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to his Ldship for his Subscripn & Benefacn

3 Mr Berriman paid to ye Secry in the absence of the Treasurers, one Guinea for the General Designs, & half a Guinea for the East India Mission, being Benefactions from a Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown,

G D
Unknown
1.–1–0
E I M.
Do 10.6

4 Agreed that Mr Berriman be desired to give ye thanks of the Society to the Benefactress

5 Agreed that Mr A D Yardley's Lre complaining of some abuse in ye Sale of ye Welch Bibles whereof an Acct had been transmitted to him out of Cardiganshire, be referr'd to ye Consideration of ye Society at their next Meeting

Agreed

Agreed that 12 Copies of the Serious & affectionate Address to Prisoners for Debt, be given to Mr A D Cartwright out of ye Stores.

6 A Lre was read from Dr Wilson at Tunbridge Wells dated 21 Inst. acquaint the Comee that £79 deposited in his hands for ye Welch Bibles & since paid to Mr Watts, having been invested in Government Securities at Michas 1747 & sold out Michs 1748 had produced £3..6..0 Interest wch Sum the Dr will pay into ye Fund for Welch Bibles.

W Bo
Dr Wilson being
the Interest of
79 .... 3..6..0

Order'd that the thanks of ye Comee be given to Dr Wilson for his kind Intentions

Letters were read from Mr Talbot at Cambridge Dr Denne at Rochest Dr Adams at Alvescot Mr Wadsworth at How Mr Blyth at Coleshill Mr Rimington Mr Leeds, & Mr Swinton at Knutsford 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 1 Novr 1748
Present

Bp of St Asaph, Dr Wilson,
Mr Stehelin, Mr Butjenter
Mr Bourdillon Dr Bearcroft
Mr Moore Mr Goslin
Mr Bromsall

Ld Bp of St Asaph in ye Chair

1 The Secry laid before the Board the following List of Debtors releas'd out of Prison by order of ye Society, wth ye Money left by Dugal Campbell Esqr for that charitable purpose as also wth a Benefaction for ye like good Design from an Unknown hand & hands of ye Ld Bp of Oxford making in ye whole £ 19.0.0

Fleet

	Pd for his Release
Geo: New a Bookbinder a Wife big wth Child & 2 small Children	2.2.0

Marshalsea

	Fees & Chamber Rent	gave him
Wm Aberdeen a Taylor a wife & 3 small Children	.13.8	2.6
Jno Williams (a Black) Mariner	.16.	2.6
Geo: Dawson, a Shoemaker a wife & 1 Child	.13.8	2.6
Thos: Denkin Labourer	1.1.	
Jams Mackdonald a Soldier Advanced in Years	1.1.	
Henry Marshall Victualler	.11.	2.6
Andrew Goodman Labourer (lame)	.14.10	1.
Chris: Field Silkthrowster	.5.	
Wm Colley Colourman	.10.6	
Eliz: Plummer Wido	2.9.6	2.6
Math. Hart Mariner	.15.4	2.

Ludgate

Revd W. Maddox	2.2	1..

Borough Counter 13.15.6 £1.16.6

Thoˢ. Rade, Hop Merchᵗ. a Wife and three Children .... } 1.1.–

Jnᵒ. Roston Mariner 2.7.–

£ 17.3.6 £1.16.6

2 Order'd that Copies of yᵉ foregoing Account be sent to the Bp of Oxford & Dʳ. Pelling.

3 The Secrys reported that they had receiv'd from the Prerogative Court of Canterbury the following Extract of the Will of Esther Blunden late of yᵉ Parish of Hampsted in yᵉ County of Middx, but in the Parish of Chashunt in yᵉ County of Herts Wid. deceased bearing date yᵉ 23 July 1733, & now remaining in yᵉ sᵈ. Registry amongst other things therein is containd as follows to wit.

Legacy Mʳˢ. Blunden 300..–..–

"Item I give to the Society for
"Propagating Christian Knowledge
"Three Hundred Pounds for
"carrying on their charitabl Works

Proved at London 11 Octʳ. 1748

4 Order'd that yᵉ foregoing Extract be Copied in yᵉ Book of Wills

5. Order'd that the Thanks of this Society be sent to the Govʳˢ. of yᵉ Infirmary at

Northampton for 6 Copies of a Sermon preach'd at their last Anniversary Meeting by the Ld Bp of Peterborough: as also for ye like Number of their Annual Accts.

6 Dr Stonehouse Physician to ye said Infirmary having sent 25 Copies of a little Tract, entitld A Friendly Letter to a Patient just admitted into an Infirmary, as a Present to this Society.

7. Order'd that ye Societys Thanks be sent for ye same.

8 The Society taking into Consideration Mr A D Yardley's Letter complaining of some abuse in the Sale of the Welch Bibles came to ye following Resolution, viz that no more Bibles shall be disposed off, till a Comee for ye Welch Bible has met, & thought of some Expedient for preventing the like Abuse for ye future.

9 G. D. Mrs Parker Legacy 50 The Secry reported that he had recd of Wm Wilson Esqr Executor to Mrs Katharine Parker deceasd ye Sum of 50ll being a Legacy left to the Society by the sd Mrs Parker.

10 Order'd that the Societys Thanks be sent to Mr Wilson for ye Payment of ye Legacy.

11. The Ld Bp of St Asaph was chose Chairman for the Month ensuing

12 Mr A. D. Denne in a Letter from Rochester of 31 Octo. reports a Benefaction of a

G. D.
Mr Soane
1.1.0

a Guinea to the General Designs from the Rev.d Mr Soan, Master of the King's School there.

Letters where read from Mr White at Stratford Dr Chapman, Sir Jno Thorold, Mr Wilson at Westmeston Mr Foote at Yoxall, Mr Master at Croston Lancas.e 1748

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 8 Nov.r 1748

Pres.t

Dr Cartwright	Mr Trevanion
Mr A.D. Yardley	Mr Morgan
Mr Berriman	Mr Dobree

Mr A.D. Yardley in the Chair in ye Absence of the Bp of St Asaph

G. D.
Sundries
2.12.6.

The Secry reported that he had received ye following Benefactions to ye General Designs, & placd them to Dr Denns

From a Lady desiring to be Unknown		1.1
A Gentlewoman	Ditto	1.1
Mrs Fitzherbert		10
		£ 2.1

all by the hands of The Revd Mr Green of Derby.

2. Agreed that Mr Green be desir'd to give ye Thanks of the Society for ye Benefactions

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 15th Novr 1748

Prest

Mr Stehelin, Mr Nowell, Mr Bromsall
Mr Bourdillon, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Trevanion

Mr Stehelin in ye Chair in ye absence of ye Bp of St Asaph

1 G.D. Sundries 9..9..0 The Secy reported that he had received & placed to Dr Denne's Acct ye undermention'd Benefactions to the General Designs of ye Society.

From the Revd Dr Osborn Rectr of Clifton Bedfords.	1..1..0
Mr Berrow Rectr of Northill in ye same County	2..2..0
Mr Joshua Waſſron ⅌ hands of ye Revd Mr Blith of Coleshill Warwic	1..1..0
Mr Remington Rec: of All Saints in Glocester	1..1..0
Mr Streynsham Master, at Croston in Lancas. at Admission	1..1..0
Mr Stephens Canon of Windsor at Do.	1..1..0
Mr Payne Arch Deacon of Stow	2..2..0
£	9..9..0

Order'd

2 That ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

3 The Secry reported that they had recd from ye Prerogative Court of Canterbury the following Extract of ye Will of the Revd Willm Godley Clerk late of the Parish of Hitchin in ye County of Herts & Rector of Lockington in ye County of York deceased dated 25 Octr 1748 & now remaining in ye said Registry amongst other things therein is contained as follows

Legacy
Mr Godley
50.

> " To the Society for Promoting
> " Christian Knowledge, for
> " Propagation of the Gospel in
> " Foreign Parts, & to ye Incorporated
> " Society in Dublin for Promoting
> " English Protestant Schools in
> " Ireland Fifty Pounds each

Prov'd at London 4 Novr 1748

4 Order'd that ye foregoing Extract be Copied in ye Book of Wills

5. Mr Oliver deliver'd in a Bill of £10 being half ye Expence for Printing 5000 Church of England Catechisms in ye Welch Welch Tongue to be sent to the Revd Mr Griff: Jones of Landowror.

Order'd that Mr Watts do pay ye said Bill in ye Absence of Dr Denne.

Agreed that 25 Copies of Dr Horneck's Dissuasive from Popery be given to Mr Bromsal for ye use of a Country Parish infested by Papists.

Letters were read from Mr

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 22d Novr 1748

Prest

Mr Berriman, Mr Dobree Mr Ferrell,

Mr Dobree in ye Chair in ye Absence of ye Bp of St Asaph

The Comee met & gave Orders for the sending of the Packets requested by the Members.

Letters were read from Mr Wells at Prestbury 13 Novr Mr Murgatroyd at Leeds Mr Mason at Hull, Mr Yardley 1748

Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 29 Novr 1748

Prest

Mr A. D. Yardley, Dr King, Mr Pettius Mr Bourdillon, Mr Berriman Dr Robinson Mr Sydenham

Mr A. D. Yardley in ye Chair in the Absence of the Bp of St Asaph

G. S.
Dr King
£
1.1.0

1. Dr King giving his Company at ye Board, Subscribed to promote ye Societys Designs, & paid a Guinea to ye Secry in ye Absence of Dr Denne as his Benefaction at Admission: for wch ye Comee gave him their Thanks

2 Order'd that Mr Watts do prepare a State of the Acct. of the Welch Bible according to a Paper deliver'd in for that purpose, to be laid before ye Comee for ye Welch Bibles at their next Meeting

3 Agreed that a Com: Prayer 8vo be given to Mr Bourdillon for a Poor woman

4 Letters were read from Mr Negus at Rotherhith Mr Perronet at Shoreham, Mr Pages at Farmboro Sir Jno Thorold, Mr Marchant at Edburton, Mr Bourdillon

Bartlet's Buildgs
Tuesday 6 Decemr. 1748

Present

Mr. A.D. Yardley Dr. Nicolls,
Mr. Ziegenhagen, Mr. Sydenham
Mr. Gosling Mr. Albinus Mr. Ferret

Mr. A.D. Yardley in the Chair
in ye Absence of the Bp of St. Asaph.

1 A Letter being read from The Revd. Mr. Howell of Kilkennin dated 26 Novr. wherein he informs the Society of some particulars relating to the Binding of the Welch Bible, wch deserve ye attention of the Committee

2 Agreed that ye said Letter be laid before ye Comee for ye Welch Bible at their next Meeting

3 Mr. Ferrett according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

4 Letters were read from Messrs. Fabricius, Kiernander & Breithaupt, ye Society's Missionari at Poliacatte & Cudutore in ye East Indies bearing date in ye Months of March & April last; as also a Letter from the Danish Missionaries at Tranqueb dated 14 March 1747/8

5 Order'd that the sd Letters be forthwith sent to Dr Denne at Rochester, & that he be

desir'd

desird to peruse ye same, as soon as conveniently may be, that Answers may be returned thereto by the first Ships

6 Letters were read from Mr Drake at Swinderby Dr Hartley at Bath Mr Doughty at Wispington, Mr Birch at Dover Mr Hildesley at Hitchin 1748

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 13th Decemr 1748

Prest

Dr Best Mr Berriman Mr Stehelin, Mr Sydenham Mr Dobree, Mr Gosling

Dr Best in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Ferrett.

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & placd to Dr Dennes Acct ye under-mentiond Benefactions to ye Gl Designs

G. D.
Sundries
8.8–

From the Revd Mr Mason at Hull Yorksh	1.1
Revd Mr Huyssh at Clisthydon Devon	1.1
A Society of Clergymen by Ditto	3.3
Revd Mr Grimwood of Dedham Essex	1.1
Revd Mr Ault at Arlsey Bedfordsh	1.1
Two Ladies unkn by Mr Hutton of Westmr	1.1
£	8.

G D

Unknown 1.1.0 Mr Watts also reported that he had recd a Guinea from a Gentlewoman desiring to be unknown, being a Benefaction to the Gd Designs

Orderd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 A Letter was read from The Revd Mr Howell of Kilkennin Cardigans. containing some Proposals wch he humbly Submits to ye Consideration of the Society concerning ye future disposal of ye Welch Bibles.

3 Orderd that Mr Howell's Lre be laid before ye Comee for ye W Bibles at their next Meeting

Letters were read from Messrs Ault at Arlsey, Mr Jackson at Greens Norton Mr Bartler at Exeter, & Mr Pennington, Mr Master at Croston & Mr Parfect, Mr Parr at Wold, & Mr Penderson at Grotton 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 20 Decemr 1748
Presnt

Mr Pettius, Mr Berriman Col Hudson
& Mr Sydenham Mr Terrett

Mr Terrett in the Chair

1 G.D. Mr Parr 1.1.0 Mr Berriman paid to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne One Guinea from The Revd Mr Jams Parr Rectr of Wold in Northamptonsa, being his Benefaction at Admission

2 G.D. Sundries 3.3.– The Secry reported that he had recd & placed to Dr Dennes Acct the following Benefactions to the General Designs

	£ s d
From the Revd Mr Lloyd of Epping in Essex	1.1.–
Revd Mr Marshall Rector of Allesley near Coventry	2.2.–

W B Sundries 1.1.– & towards binding ye Welch Bible

From a Lady desiring to be Unknown	.10.6
A Clergyman Ditto	.10.6

both by the hands of Mr Howlett of Rampton Nottinghamshire

Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

3 Ordered that a Packet of Books (as usual) to the Amount of 50s be sent to The Revd Mr Punderson at Groton in New England

4 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 10 Jany & that ye Society be Summoned to meet on that Day

5 Ordd that the Secry do dispatch the necessary Business during ye Adjournment

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 10 January 1748/9
Prest
Dr Denne, Mr A D. Smalbroke
Dr Wilson Mr Stehelin Mr Sydenham
Mr A. D. Smalbroke in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Ferrett

1 The Secry reported that during ye Adjournment of ye Society he had recd ye following Benefactions to ye General Designs, & had paid them this day to Mr A D. Denne viz

G D
Sundries
8.8

From the Revd Mr Drake Vicar of Swinderby Lincolnre at Admission	2.2.0
Mr Alderman Drake of Lincoln	1.1.0
Henry Salwey of Elton Salop Esqr	1.1.0
Mr Robt Peirson in Cripplegate Parish	1.1.0
Mr Southern Vicr of Carlington Salop	1.1.0
Mr Murgatroyd of Leeds Yorksre	1.1.0
Mr Jno Varloe of Portsmouth Hants	1.1.0

Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 The Secry further reported that he had paid to Mr A D. Denne, from Mr Edw. Andrews One Years Rent of Lands in Romney Marsh, bequeathed to ye Society by ye late Mr Belke

	One Years Rent		9.0.0
Deductions	Kings Tax	1.4.	
	Scotts	16.7½	2.0.7½
	Due		£ 6.19.4½

3 Dr Best having sent 50 Copies of his Essay upon ye Service of ye Church of England consider'd as a Daily Service as a Present (in Sheets)

Order'd

That the Thanks of the Society be given to Dr Best for his Present & that 12 Copies be bound up for ye Soc: Stor

Order'd

4. That ye Thanks of ye Society be likewise given to Sr Jno Thorold for 50 Copies of a further Acct of ye Circulating Welch Charity Schools from Michas 1747 to Michas 1748

5. A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Barter at Exeter dated ye 4 Inst enclos a Bill upon Mr Richd Croker at Wills Coffee House for £6„12„0 Part of which is a Benefaction to ye General Designs & part is to pay for Books

6 Dr Wilson according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for this present Month

7. The Revd Mr Jno Parfect MA Fellow of Oriel College Oxon, proposed by his Father the Revd Mr Parfect of Roc was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society

8 And the Revd Mr Francs Hawkins Rector of Higham Gobion in the County of Bedford, recommended by Dr Osborn & Mr Nutt was chose a Corresponding Member.

Order'd that the Secretry do Acquaint those Gentlemen wth such Choice.

9 Agreed that Ms A & D Denne be desir'd to Advance 250l..... to be laid out in Foreign Silver, to be sent to the East Indies, for the Payment of the Missionaries Salarys, & other Expences attending the Mission.

10. The following Bills were laid before the Society viz.

A Bill of Duties on ye Chambers in ye Temple from Michas 1745 to Michas 1748	7..19..3
A Bill of Mr Olivers for 1/2 a Years Rent of a Warehouse for the Society's Stores	2..10..0
Do...... for a Storehouse for the Welch Bibles	3..-..-
Do....on Acct. of ye Welch Bibles	5..3..0
Do....for the Store	1..11..9
& to Go: New for binding 50 of Dr Bests Essay	..14..

11 Agreed that Ms A & D Denne be desir'd to pay ye said Bills.

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 17 Jan^ry 1748/9

Pres^t

Dr Wilson, Dr Cartwright Dr Nicolls Mr Stekelin, Mr Bourdillon Mr Pittius Mr Albinus Mr Berriman Dr Abree Mr Sydenham Mr Edwards Col Hudson Mr Terrell, Dr Robinson

Dr Wilson in ye Chair

1 The Secr^y reported that he had rec^d ye following Benefactions to ye General Designs & paid them to M^r A D Denne

G D

Sundries 16.13–

From The Revd Dr Wm Chilcott of Brentford Butts at Adm^ss^n	1..1..
Revd Dr Legh of Dorchester	1..1..
Lady Palmer	1..1.0
Mrs Hester Palmer	.10..6
Mrs Katherine Roberts	.10.6
Revd Mr Roberts	1..1..0
Three Gent^m Unknown	3..3..0
Thos Wilson Esq	1..1..0
Mrs Carte	1..1.0
A Gentlew^n Unknown	1..1..0
Mrs Bewicke	3..0..0
Revd Mr Fenwick who remitt^d ye abovement^d 9 Benefactions	2..2..0

14

Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 A Letter was read from Jno Blackburne Esqr at Orford Lancas. wth a Bill enclos'd upon Mr Jno Robinson at Cottons Wharfe for £10 wch Sum Mr Blackburne desires may be dispos'd of as the Society thinks fitt

3 Agreed that ye above Sum be applied towards carrying on ye Societys General Designs & that their Thanks be given to ye Benefactor.

G D
Mrs Pierce
1 1 –
4 Mr Berriman paid to ye Secry in ye Absence of Dr Denne a Guinea, being a Benefaction to ye General Designs from Mrs Pierce.

5 Agreed that Mr Berriman be desir'd to give ye Thanks of ye Society to ye Benefactr

6 Agreed that 1 Bible 8vo 1 New Manual of Devotion & 1 Xtian Monitor be given to a poor Family at ye Request of Mr Pittius

7 Letters were read from Mr Peploe Mr Croſsman Mr Dowding, Mr Talbot Mr Hatfield, Mr Blackburne at Orford 1748

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 24 Janry 1748/9

Prest 6

Dr Wilson, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Terrett
Mr Sydenham Col Hudſon

Dr Wilson in ye Chair

1 A Letter was read from Dr Hartley at Donington Berks dated 19 Decemr wth a Bill upon Mr Charles Hitch Bookseller in Lond. for £5..2..0 to pay for a Packet.

2 Another Letter was read from the Revd Mr Thompson of Monmouth County in New Jersey dated 31 Octobr last wth a Bill upon Slingsby Bethel Esqr for £2.. to pay for Books.

3 The Secry reported that he had recd from the Rt Honble the Lady Viscountess Windsor by the hands of the Lord Bp of Glocester £10 for the Eastern Mission wch he had paid to Mr Hoare, & £10 for the Welch Bibles.

E. I. M
Lady Windsor
10
W. B.
Do. 10

4 Orderd that the Thanks of ye Society be given to Lady Windsor for her Benefactions

5 Agreed that it be recommended to ye Society to buy up 500 Copies of The Childs Xtian Education for ye Stores

6. Letters were read from Dr Hartley at Donnington Mr Perronet, Mr Ward, Mr Thompson in America 21 Octr 1748.

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 31 Janry 1748/9

Presst

Dr Wilson, Mr Bourdillon Mr Dalbiac
Mr Sydenham

Dr Wilson in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd the following Benefactions to ye General Designs.

G.D. Sundries 9.15.—	From a gentlewn desiring to be Unknown thro' ye hands of the Revd Dr Hales	5.5.0
	Rd Dr Parker Rectr of Elwick in ye County of Durham & hands of the Ld Bp of Glocester	1.1.0
	A Person desiring to be Unknown by Mr Gell of Westmr	1.7.0
	Revd Dr Troughear Vicr of Carisbrok in ye Isle of Wight	1.1.0
	Rd Mr Hatfield Rectr of Lilley Herts	1.1.0
		£9.15.—

Ordered that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 A Letter was recd from the Revd Mr Wilson Curate of Cocking in Sussex, dated 25 Inst, giving an Account that he had remitted the following Benefactions viz To the General Designs

G.D. Mr Leyland 1.1.—	From the Revd Mr Leyland Vicar of Westdean in Sussex	1.1.—

W B
Dutchess of Richmond
3„3„–

To the Welch Bibles
Her Grace the Dutchess of Richmond at Goodwood } 3„3„–

E. I. M
Countess of Derby
1„1„–

To the East Indᵃ Mission
The Rᵗ Honᵇˡᵉ the Countess of Derby 1„1„–

3 Agreed that Mʳ Wilson be desir'd to give yᵉ Thanks of the Society to yᵉ Benefactors: & that a Pack of Books to yᵉ amount of 30ˢ be given to Mʳ Wilson, to disperse among his Parishi

4 Agreed likewise that a Pack of Books to yᵉ Amount of 40ˢ be sent as a present to the Rev Mʳ Thomson of Monmouth County in New Jersey.

5 Order'd that yᵉ Commᵗᵉᵉ for the Welch Bible, together wᵗʰ such other Members of yᵉ Society, as please to attend, be summoned to meet on Saturday next at 10 o'Clock

6 Letters were read from Dʳ King at Cheam, Mʳ Hyde at Heath, Mʳ Parry at Shipston 27 Janʳʸ, Dʳ Osborn a Clifton 21 Janʳʸ, Mʳ Bonet at Aldboroug Mʳ Wilson at Cocking 25 Janʳʸ Dʳ Stoneh at Northampton 26 Janʳʸ 1718/9.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 7 Feby 1749

Prest. Dr Wilson, Dr Denne Mr Bourdillon Dr Nicolls, Dr Bearcroft, Dr Best, Mr Smalebroke, Mr Stehelin, Mr Parfect, Mr Jones Mr Butjenter, Mr Ridley, Mr C. Sydenham, Mr Adams, Col. Hudson, Mr Ferrell, Mr Stockwell Mr Edwards, Sr Jno Phillipps.

Dr Wilson in ye Chair

Upon reading the report from the Comee for the Welch Bible of last Saturday the Society came to the following Resolutions viz.

I That the Price of Bibles bound up wth Com: Prayer & Psalms, that shall be sent into any of the Welch Dioceses, be according to a new Regulation fixed at 4s each Book Carriage included, a Price leſs than half the real Value! The Society intending that whatever Money shall be raised by the Sale of the Bibles, or by future Benefactions to this Design, shall be set apart towards a Fund for a New Edition, whenever it shall be found requisite

II That ye Expence of Carriage be defrayed by the Society, & deducted by their

Members

Members & other Distributors, when they make remittances for their Packets, wh they are desir'd to do with dispatch

III That their Members & others who may be concern'd in ye Distribution of the Bibles, be desir'd in ye strongest Terms to guard against their being Sold at a higher Price than 4.0 each Book

IV In Order to make ye benefit of the present Impression as extensive as possible, that ye Members & other Distributors be earnestly desir'd to dispers the Bibles in such a discreet manner, a that no single Family be benefited ther to ye prejudice of another wch may stand in equall need of ye same Blessing. And that a particular regard be had to such Families as are known to be religiously dispos'd & who would not make Merchand of ye Word of God.

5 Agreed ~~that~~ to print 5000 Copies of a Letter as prepared by the Secry agreeab to ye above Resolutions, & read to ye Society Welch & English in Columns

6. Agreed that ye Bishops of the Welch Dioceses be desir'd to recommend pr Persons to become Members of this Socie that they together wth ye present Subscribi &

and Corresponding Members in Wales
may assist in ye further Distribution of
the Bibles: & that a Copy of this Minute
be sent to their Lordships

7 Upon a Memorial presented
to the Society by Messrs. Bloss & Johnson:

8 Agreed that a gratuity of Ten
Guineas be allow'd them in Consideration of
the advanced Price of Paper for the Welch
Bibles, occasion'd by an unavoidable delay on
the Society's side in making use of ye same

9 Whereas there was an Order of 1st of
Novo to forbid the sending of any more Bibles
into Wales, till the Society had thought of
some expedient to prevent Abuses in the
Distribution of them.

10 Agreed that the said Order be
revok'd, as soon as the Letter of this Day
containing the Society's Instructions on that
Head, is ready to be sent along wth ye Packets

11 Sr Jno Phillipps according to Rota-
tion was desir'd to be Chairman for the
ensuing Month

12 Mr Parfect Junr. giving his Compy
Gd. at ye Board, Subscribed to promote ye Society's
Mr Parfect Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr A D Denne
1.1.0. as his Benefaction at Admission for
which the Society gave him their Thanks

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13 The Society agreed wth the Committee in their Proposal for taking 500 Copies of the Child's Xtian Education into their Stores.

14 The Revd Mr Robt Cook, Fellow of Clare Hall Cambridge, recommended by Mr Grimwood & Mr Jackson, was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society.

15 And the Revd Mr Tho. Sewell Minister of Whitehaven in Cumberland recommended by Sr Jams Lowther, & the Revd Mr Charrington Vicr of Aldenham Herts, recommended by the Bp of Worc were chosen Corresponding Members.

16 Order'd that the Secry's do Acquaint ye above nam'd Gentn wth such Choi

17 Mr A D. Denne reported that he had distributed in ye County of Kent, out of Mr Bethe's Charity, pursu to ye Trust reposed in him by ye Society, Religious Books & Tracts to ye Amount of £54,,11,,8½, & that he had recd ye Thanks of ye Clergy on this Occasion

18 Agreed that the Thanks of this Society be given to Mr A D. Denne for his Ca & Pains in Executing that Trust.

19 Order'd that Mr Watts do Insu ye Silver to be sent to ye East Indies

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 14 Febry 1748/9

Presᵗ Dr Denne, Mr Cooper
Mr Hawkins, Mr Morgan
Sr Jno Phillipps, Mr Carewe
Mr Dobree, Col Hudson, Mr
Sydenham, Mr Edwards.

Sr Jno Phillipps in ye Chair

1. Agreed that two Guineas be given to Mr Morris for his Care in translating the Letter, mention'd in ye Minutes of ye 7 Inst. into Welch, & for his readiness to Serve ye Society on every Occasion.

2 Mr Watts laid before ye Comee the Policy of Insurance on ye Brittannia for £550 Sent to ye East Indies at 3 1/2 ℔ Cent.

3 Mr Hawkins giving his Company
G D at ye Board, subscrib'd to promote ye Society's
Mr Hawkins Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr A.D. Denne as
1.1.— as his Benefaction at Admission, for which the Comee gave him their Thanks

4. The Secry reported that he had paid
G D to Mr A.D. Denne, the Benefactions mention'd
Mr Waring in ye Minutes of 24 & 31 Jany. as also half
..10.6 a Guinea to the General Designs, from the Revd Mr Waring Lecturer of St Mildred in ye Poultry

5 Mr A D Denne reported that he had
G D receiv'd two Guineas as a Benefaction to the Genl.
Mr Barrel
2.2.— Designs from the Revd Mr Barrel, Preby of Rochester

6 W B Sir James Lowther £ 20 — Col Hudson paid to M^{r}. D^{r}. Denne Twenty Pounds, being a Benefaction to the Impression of Welch Bibles from Sir James Lowther

7 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

8 Letters were read from M^{r}. Ellis at Holyhead, Mr Pennington at Hunting Mr Crowe at Muxon Mr Stanley at Leverpool 5 Feb^{ry} D^{r}. Hales at Tedding 31 Jan^{ry} 1748/9.

Bartlets Build^{s}.

Tuesday 21 Feb^{ry} 1748

Pres^{t}. B^{p} of Glocester, M^{r}. Morgan, Mr Stehelin Mr Cittius, Mr Sydenham Mr Carew. Mr Dobree Govr. Horne, Mr Ferrett Col Hug

Lord B^{p} of Glocester in the Chair.

1 G D. Govr. Horne 2..2.. — John Horne Esqr. giving his Compa at the Board, Subscrib'd to promote ye Society Designs, & paid 2 Guineas to Mr Watts, in ye absence of Dr Denne, as his Benefaction admission, for w^{ch}, ye Com^{ee} gave him their Thanks

2 A Letter was read from Mr T. D. Teptoe at Manchester dated 15 Jany. wth a Bill upon Mr Jno Rigby & Co. for £9..4..8½ to pay for Books.

3 Another Letter was read from the Revd Mr Ste: White at Stratford in Suffolk wth a Bill upon Soam Jennyns Esq. for £6..5..– to pay for Books.

4 Letters were read from Mr Zouch at Sandal, Mr Pages at Farmboro, Mr Shuck at Olveston, Mr Birch at Dovor 1748/9

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 28 Febry 1748/9.

Presᵗ Bp of Worcester, Dr Hales, Dr Denne, Dr Wilson, Mr Berriman, Sr Jno Phillipps, Mr Carew, Mr Sydenham.

Ld. Bp of Worcester in ye Chair

1 Agreed that the Societys Members in Wales, be desir'd to make a List of ye Parishes wherein they disperse ye Welch Bibles, & keep an exact Account of ye Numbers distributed in each Parish respectively & immediately upon such Distribution transmit ye Account to ye Society

2. The Secry reported that he had receivd & paid to Mr A Denne ye undermentiond

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Benefactions to ye General Designs vi

G D
Sundries
15„5„—

From the Revd Mr Barter of St Mary Steps Exeter	1.1.—
Rev Mr Hugh Yard Rector of Ashton Devon	1„1.—
Jno Blackbourn of Orford Lancasr Esqr	10„—„—
A Person Unknown by hands of the Revd Mr Bowyer Vicar of Martock Somersetr	1„1„—
H. Pudner Esqr of Canterbury by hands of the Revd Mr Birch of Dover	1„1„—
A Lady Unknown by hands of Mrs Hutton of Westmr	„10„
Revd Mr Gibson Vicr of Biggleswade Bedfordsr	„10„
	15„5„—

3 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

Letters were read from Mr Trotter at Gravely Mr Stanley at Liverpool 17 Feby Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer 21 Sepr Mr Barter at Exeter 18 Feby

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 7 March 1748/9
Pres.t Mr Ald. Denne
Dr Wilson, Dr Jenner Mr
Zeigenhagen, Mr Cooper
Mr Norvell. Mr Torkington
Sr Jno Phillipps, Mr Carew,
Mr Sydenham Mr Bromsall
Mr Newey.

Lord Bp of Worcester
in the Chair.

1 The Secrys reported that they had presented ye Welch Bible according to Order, to their Royal Highnesses the Prince & Princess of Wales, thro' ye hands of Sir Wm Irby: & that they had made ye Society's Presents, to the ArchBishop, the Lord High Chancellor, ye Bishops & the Speaker of ye House of Commons.

2. The Secrys further reported that the following Books & Papers had been sent as presents to the Society, viz. the Gospel of St Mathew in ye Mank's Language from the Revd Dr Wilson.
50 Copies of two Sermons, preach'd to a Congregation of Black Slaves, in Maryland
by

by an American Pastor, from the
Same hands & 25 Acct of the Middx
Hospital for the Reception of Sick
& Lame & Lying-In Married Women
A present from the Governors.

Ordered that ye Thanks of ye
Society be return'd for ye Presents.

3 The Secry reported that he had
recd of the Lord Bp of Oxford, 10l, being
a charitable Gift from Mrs Read
towards the Release of poor confin'd
Debtors

4 Agreed that ye Bp of Oxford
be desir'd to give the Thanks of ye Society
to Mrs Read for her Benefaction

5 Mr Carew according to Rotation
was desir'd to be Chairman during this
Month.

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8 Ordered that the Secry do acquaint ye abovenam'd Gentlemen wth such Choice.

9 The following Clergymen out of Wales were chosen to Correspond with the Society, & assist in the Distribution of ye Welch Bibles: being recommended by the Bps of the Welch Dioceses viz.

By the Ld Bp of St Davids

Mr John Williams Rectr of Aberedaw
at Abercamlais near Brecon
Mr Price Davies Vicar of Talgarth
near the Hay Brecon
Mr Wm Skinner Rectr of Langattock
near Abergavenny Monmouths.
Mr Thos Williams Vicr of Llanegwad
near Carmarthen.
Mr Luke Gwynne Vicr of Landignat
Mr Oakley Rees Vicr of Lanboidy Carmarthensh.
Mr Jno Harries Vicr of St Ismaels Do.
Mr Geo: Philips Vicr of St Marys in
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Mr Oakley Rees Vicr of Lanboidy Carmarth
Mr Jno Harries Vicr of St Ismaels Do
Mr Geo: Philips Vicr of St Marys in
Haverfordwest Pembrokesre

Mr Jams. Brooks Vicar of Lanarth
Cardiganshire

Mr Jenkin Jenkins Vicar of Lanyshty
Cardiganshire

Mr Wm Langharne Rector of Lany-
-chllwydog near Haverfordwest.

Bp of St Asaph

Mr David Lloyd Rectr. of Gwytherin
Denbyshire

Mr Richd Hughes Rectr. of Mallwyd
in Montgomerysr.

Mr Wm Wynne Rectr. of Manavon
Montgomerysr.

Mr Hugh Jones Vicr. of Gresford
in Denbyshire

Mr Robt. Jones Rectr. of Llanykill
Merionethsr.

Mr Thos Price Rectr. of Caerwys
Flintshire

Bp of Bangor

Mr Thos. Lloyd }
Mr Hugh Hughes } Vicars of Bangor
Mr Richd Griffith at Carnarvon
Mr Ennion Humfreys Rectr. of
Llanendwyn near Dolgelly Meri

Mr O: Owen Vicr of Landiloes Montgom

Mr H: Hughes Rectr of Llanvair Vechan near Penmaen Mawr Carnarvonsh.

Mr Jno Ellis Curate of Amlwch in the Isle of Anglesea

Mr Jam: Vincent Schoolmastr in Angle

Mr David Ellis Rect. of Llaneingan near Pwlchelly Carnarvonsh.

Mr Evan Jones Rect of Llanfwrog near Ruthin Denbyshire

Mr Jno Owen Chancellr of Bangor at at Polchelly Carnarvonsh.

Mr Robt Roberts of Conway Carnarvon

Mr Vaughan Curate of Landyrnog near St Asaph

10 Mr Price & Mr Stennet waiting upon the Society, made a request that they might be favour'd wth ye remaining Number of Welch Bibles promis'd by the Society to the late Dr Isaac Watts according to a Minute of 7 Augt 1744

11 Agreed to defer ye determination of this matter, till the Society is informed what No of Bibles may be call for by the Bps of the Welch Dioceses, as well as the Society's Correspondts in Wales.

12 Mr A: L: Denne reported that he had recd 4 Guineas & a Half as a

13
Mr Trout
4.14.6

a Benefaction towards the Impreſsi
of Welch Bibles from Mr Trout by
Mr Hoare

9 D.
Mr Albinus
1.1.0

Mr Ziegenhagen subscrib'd for Mr Albinus two Guineas a Year for carrying on the Designs & paid a Guinea to Mr A D Denne being a Benefaction from Mr Albinus at Admiſsion as a Mem

Mr Jarvis
1.1.0
Mr Backhouse
1.1.0

Mr A D Denne reported that he had recd thro the hands of the Ld Bp of Worcester, a Guinea from the Revd Mr Jarvis, & the like Sum from the Revd Mr Backhouse being their Benefactions at Admiſsion

Letters were read from Mr Jackson at Bole 1 March, Mr Haddon at Warrington 28 Feby Dr Osborn at Clifton 2 March Mr Sewell at White Haven 24 Feby Mr Salwey at Ludlow, Mr Parſons at Hemnal 1748

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 14 March 1748

Presᵗ Mr Ziegenhagen Mr Norvell, Mr Cooper, Mr Moore, Mr Torkington Sr Jno Philipps Mr Carew Mr Nau
Mr Bromsal, Mr Sydenham

Mr Carew on the Chair

Gd 1 — The Secry reported that he had recd £5 being a Benefaction to the
Dr Powell — General Designs of the Society from the
5 — Rev. Dr Powell Dean of St Asaph.

2 — Ordered that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactor.

3 — A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Wadsworth at How in Norfolk dated ye 9th Inst wth a Bill on Mr Needler in London for £3"8"6 to discharge his Arrears for Books, & One Years Subscripn due at Christmas last.

Letters were read from Mr Gurdon at Bures, Mr Osborn at New Timber Dr Best at London, Mr Leman at Kirkstead 8 March 1748

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 21 March 1748

Prest

Dr Wilson, Mr Carew Mr Gray Mr Edwards Mr Newey Mr Sydenham

Lord Bp of Worcester in ye Chair

1 A Letter was read from the Rev. Mr. Huysh at Clisthydon dated 11th Inst. with a Bill upon Mr. Saml. Birt in Ave-Mary Lane for £9" 0" 4. part to pay for Books & part a Benefaction

2 Agreed that it be recommende to the Society to favour the New Settlement in Nova Scotia with a Number of Bibles & Com. Prayer Books: & that particular Care be taken to secure the delivery & use of them there.

3 The following Tract entitled A Protestant's Reasons why he cannot turn Papist, having been recommended by three Subscribing Members, as proper & requisite to promote ye Designs of the Society

4 Agreed that it be referr'd to the Perusal of ye 4 following Gent. viz Dr. Denne, Dr. Wilson Dr. Jenn & Mr. Carew, who are desir'd to make their Report thereof at the next Meeting of the Society

5 Mr. Berriman Acquainting the Committee that the Revd. Mr. Swinfen was appointed by the East India Company

Chaplain to the Factory at Fort St
David, & desiring that a Packet of Books
& Tracts might be given to Mr Swinfen
on this Occasion.

6 Agreed that he be allow'd as
usual a Packet to ye Value of 40s.

7 Agreed likewise that Mr Swynfen
be desir'd to take 12 Testamts & 6 Psalters
in ye Arabick Language under his Care
to distribute in India, & that he be farther
desir'd to Acquaint ye Society what opportu-
nities may arise for a future Distribution

8 Agreed to Adjourn to ye Tuesday
after Easter Week, & that the Secry do dispat
ye Necessary Business of ye Society during
ye Adjournment.

Letters were read from Mr
Backhouse at Newbold Pacey 18 March
Mr Arnald at Thurcaston 18 March
Mr Bates at Horncastle Mr Wilson
at Coching 18 March Dr Denne at Lambeth

Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 4 April 1749.

Pres. 6

Mr Ad Denne, Bp of Peterboro

Dr Nicolls, Dr Hales Mr Wilson, Dr Jenner, Mr Gosling, Mr Carew, Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson, Mr Bromsal Col Hudson.

Lord Bishop of Worcester in the Chair

1 John Carew of the City of Bath Esqr recommended by Thos Carew Esqr was chosen a Subscribing Member of this Society: and

2 The Rev: Geo: Swynfen M:A Chaplain at Fort St David in the East Indies, recommended by the Revd Mr Berriman, was chose a Corresponding Member.

3 Ordered that ye Secrys do Acquaint ye foregoing Gentlemen with such Choice

4 The Rev Dr Jenner according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman for the Month ensuing

5. The Society taking into their Consideration a Minute of 21 March relating to ye sending over a Number of Bible

Bibles & Com Prayer Books, & other rel
Books & Tracts along wth ye New Settlement to
Nova Scotia

6. Agreed that Mr A. D. Denne
be desir'd to Advance out of that part of
Mr Belke's Charity, wch relates to the
Promoting of the Christian Religion in
Foreign Parts a Sum not exceeding 50l
for that pious & Charitable purpose

7. The Tract entitled a Protestants
Reasons why he cannot turn Papist,
having been unanimously approv'd of by
the several Gentlemen to whom it was refer
for their Perusal: was admitted upon the
Catalogue by Balloting Price 3d Single
or 18s p hundred.

8
G D
Mrs Blunden's Legacy 300

Dennys De Bert Esqr One
of the Executors of Mrs Esther Blunden
Wido of Cheshunt Herts, being introduc'd
to the Society, paid into the hands of Mr
A. D. Denne the Sum of £ 300
being the Legacy of the said Mrs Blunden
bequeath'd to this Society: for wch ye Board
gave Mr De Bert their Thanks

9. Agreed that 100 Copies of the
Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn
Papist, & 200 Copies of the Protestants
Catechism, be sent as a Present to the Socie

Corresponding wth that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestants Schol in Ireland.

10 Agreed that Saturday the 29 Jan. be the Day fixed for Auditing the Society's Accts & that proper Notice be given to the Treasurers & Auditors

11 Agreed that Dr Wilson, Dr Cartwright Dr Jenner, Dr Nicolls, Mr Berriman, Mr Sydenham Mr Carew, Col. Hudson, Mr Bewicke Govr Horne Mr Townsend, Mr Dobree Mr Thornton or any three of them be a Committee for Auditing the Accts of the Society.

12 The two following Bills were laid before ye Society viz.

From Meſsrs Bloſs & Johnson for Paper delivered for the Welch Bible 16 July last Amounting to . . . . } 9..8..

From Edw. Reyland for Printing 14500 Copies of 2 Mapp Plates for the Welch Bibles a 1.5 ye thousand } 21..15

13 Agreed that Mr A D Denne be desired to pay the said Bills

14 The Secry reported that he had
E. I. M rec'd & paid to Mr Hoare, Five Guineas
Mr Scullard being a Benefaction to the East India
5.5— Mission from Mr Geo: Scullard in Fen
Church Street.

15 The Secry further reported that
W B he had rec'd & paid ye undermention'd Bene
factions to Mr A B Denne viz
Unknown

To the Welch Bible

1.1— From a Lady Unknown & hands of Mr Mathews } 1.1—

To the Genl Designs

G D From the Revd Mr Parry Rectr of Shipston upon Stowr Worcestr } 1.1—
Sundries
8.8 The Rt Honble the Countess of Derby by the hands of the Revd Mr Wilson of Cocking } 2.2—
A Gentlewn Unknown & hands of the Revd Mr Taylor of Clifton near Bristol } 3.3—
Mr Alderm. Dennison of Leeds 1.1.0
A Gentlewn desiring to be Unkn & hands of the Revd Mr Zouch of Sandal in Yorks } 1.1—

16. Order'd that the Thanks of the
be sent to the Benefactors

17 Mr Tersett having prop
to pay a further Sum of £50
to ye Society, the Produce of which he
desires may be applied Annually
towards purchasing Bibles, Com: Pray
Books &c on ye Terms of the Society
to be sent to Bradford in Wilts

18 The Society agreed to Mr
Tersetts Proposal & came to a Resolutio
as before, to allow him Interest for the sai
Sum at 5 p Cent

Bartlets Build
Tuesday 11 April 174

Prest

Dr Jenner, Dr Osborn, Mr Pitti
Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Berriman
Bp of Worcester, Mr Bourdillon,
Col Hudson, Mr Sydenham, Sir
Daniel Lambert, Mr Edwards.

Dr Jenner in ye Chair

1. The Secry reported that he
had received ye undermentioned Benefactio
viz

To the General Designs

From the Revd Mr Thos Jewett
Minist of White Haven Cumberl } 1..1..0 9:12:0

Revd Mr Hildesley Vicar of
Hitchin Herts } 1..1..0

A Person desiring to be Unknown
by Ditto } 1..11..6

Revd Dr Ayerst Preby of Canterbury
at Admission } 1..1..0

Mr Catmur in Fore Street 1..1..0

Rd Mr Baker Rectr of Hedenham
Norfolk at Admission } 1..1..0

Rd Mr Jno Benet Vicar of Ald-
boro Suffolk at Ditto } 1..1..0

Rd Mr Huyshe Rectr of Clisthydon Devon 1..11..6

W B

To the Welch Bible

Dr Stevenson
1.1..0

Rd Dr Stevenson Vicr of Netherbury
Dorsetse } 1..1..0

E I M
Ditto
1.1..—

And to the last Ind Mission
From ye same Gentleman } 1.1.0

2 Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

3 The Secry reported that he had recd from the Registry of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury the following Extract of the Will of Jno Peck late of the Parish of

of Christ Church in the Coun
of Middx Esqr deceas'd bearing date
22 March 1747.

"Also I give & bequeath unto
" Treasurer of
" the Society for Promoting
" Christian Knowledge
" at their House in Bartlet
" Buildings Holborn London
" for the good Purposes of the
" said Society the Sum of
" One Hundred Pounds

Prov'd at Lond. 5 Apr. 1749

4 Order'd that ye above Extract be entered in the Book of Wills

5 Sir Daniel Lambert giving his Company at ye Board subscribed to promote ye Society's Designs, & paid 2 Guineas to the Secry as his Benefaction at Admiss for wch the Comee gave him their thanks

Sr D. Lambert
2. 2. —

6 Mr H. Denne reported that he had recd two Guineas as a Benefaction to the General Desig of

of the Society from Robt. North of Scarborough Esq. by the most Rev His Grace the Abp of York.

7 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

8 The Comee being of Opinion that a Tract entitled A Protestants Reas why he cannot turn Papist might do grea Service in Nova Scotia, wch abounds with French Papists & Popish Priests; & Mr Bourdillon kindly offering to translate the said Tract into French in Order to Answer the Pious Designs of the Society. The Commee thankfully accepted of Mr Bourdillon's offer.

9 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint the Bps & other Members of this Society where it seems requisite, that ye Society is ready to furnish gratis such Numbers of the sd Tract entitled A Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn Papist as shall be desir'd for the use of the Poor

10 Agreed that an 8vo Bible be given to a deserving Object, at ye request of the Bp of Worcester.

11 Agreed that Directions be given be given for building the Scaffolds at

Christ

Christ Church with all ye Accommodations
usual on such Occasions, & that Dr.
Robinson & Mr Watts be desired to give
Orders about it

12. Agreed that 5000 Hymns be
printed for the use of the Charity Children
at their Anniversary Meeting

Bartlet's Buildgs.

Tuesday 18th April 1749

Prest.

Mr Jenner, Dr Nicolls, Mr Serce,
Mr Bromsal, Mr Sydenham,
Mr Carew, Mr Ferrett, Mr
Butjenter, Mr Bourdillon.

Bp of Worcester in
the Chair

1 Mr Carew reported that
the Revd. Mr A D Squire had promi
to preach the Anniversary Sermon bef
the Trustees of the Charity Schools

2 Tuesday next being the Day appointed for a General Thanksgiving it was agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 2d May.

Letters were read from Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 10 April Mr Evans at Wymdham Mr Vaughan at Leominster Mr White at Leighton Bozard Mr Pages at Farmboro Mr Birch at Dovor, Mr Baker at Heddenham 26 April 1749.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 2 May 1749.

Present

6 Dr Jenner, Dr Wilson, Mr A D Yardley
Mr Butjenter, Mr Nowell, Mr A D Den
Mr Pittius, Mr Parfect, Mr Carew, Mr
Marchant, Sir Jno Phillips Mr Sydenha
6 Dr Robinson, Col Hudson, Mr Vernon

Dr Jenner in ye Cha

1 Dr Jenner reported that Mr Carew, Mr Blewicke and himself had attended as a Comee for Auditing the Treasurer Accounts to the Society on Saturday las

&

that ye same being Abstracted c
sisted of the following 8 Articles: viz

On Account of the Society's Designs in Genl

Receipts by Mr A D Denne Casual Benefactions includ-ing ye Balla of £302„ 6„ 6½ due last Audit	1192„ 1„ 10½
Payments by Ditto	761„ 4„ „½
Ballance due to ye Society in ye hands of Mr A D Denne	430„ 17„ 10

On Account of Mrs Palmer's Legacy of £1000

Receipts by Mr A D Denne includ=ing the Balla of £ 32„ 0„ 8½ due last Audit	204„ 0„ 8½
Payments by Ditto	204„ 0„ 8½

On Account of the East India Mission

Ball.a Brought Over		430..1
Rec.d by Benj.n Hoare Esq.r Casual Benefactions including 1..1..0 the Ballance due last Audit	30..12..6	
Payments by Ditto	29..11..6	
Ball.a in ye hands of Mr. Hoare		1..1..0

On Account of the Arabic Impression

Receiv'd as pr Ball.a of the last Years Acct by Mr. A D Denne	37..13..4½	
Payments by Ditto	1..1..0	
Ball.a in ye hands of Mr. A D Denne		36..13..4½
Receipts by Mr. Gosling including the Ball.a of 294..5..2½ due last Audit	729..17..11½	
Payments by Ditto	191..10..10	
Ball.a due to the Society in the hands of Mr. Gosling		538..7..1½
Total of Ballances due to the Society	1006..19..4½	
Arrears of Subscribing Members due last Audit	314..11..11	
Ball.a due from their late Treas.r Rob.t Witham Esq.r	188..18..2	
	£ 1510..9	

2 Agreed that the Thanks of the Society be given to the Committee of Receipts & Payments for their Care in keeping the Acct of the Society & to the Comee for Auditing them

3 Mr A D Venne according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman during this Month.

4 The Revd Mr Pordage Sub Dean of His Majesty's Chapel, propos'd by Mr Evans & Mr Bailey

The Revd Mr Fryer Fellow of Caius College Cambridge propd by Mr Cook & Mr Wm Wright of St Ann's Westmr. propd by the Bp of Oxford & Dr Pelling were chose Subscribing Members of this Society

The Revd Mr Holme Vicar of Rickmansworth Herts, propd by Dr Cartwright

The Revd Mr Evans of Newton in Carmarthens. recommended by Mr Berriman & the Revd Mr Lloyd of Bangor, recommended by the Bp of Bangor, were chose Corresponding Members

5 Order'd that the Secrys do acquaint the above named Gentlemen wth such Choice

6 The following Tract intitled, A Friendly Letter to a Patient just Admitted into an Infirmary 4th Edition by James Stonehouse M.D. having been recommended by three Subscribing Members as a Tract fit & requisite to Promote the Design of the Society, & afterward perus'd by four other Members, & approved, was receiv'd upon ye Catalogue by Balloting. Price 3½ Single or 23 Shillgs ℔ hundred.

7 The Secry reported that ye following Tracts & Papers had been sent as Presents to the Society, viz

25 Account of the Society in Scotland for Propagating Xtian Knowledge, wth a Sermon prefixed to it, a Present from that Society.

12 Copies of the Revd Dr Stevensons Thanksgiving Sermon for the Suppression of ye late Unnatural Rebellion

25 Annual Acct of St Geo: Hospital

Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be return'd for the Presents.

8 Upon a Report from ye Auditors that ye Business of Messenger to this Society was of late Considerably increas'd; It was unanimously agreed to add Ten Pounds

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a Year to his present Salary, in lieu
of all usual Gratuities to commence
from Lady Day last

9 Mr Carew paid to Mr A L
Denne a Guinea from Jno Carew Esqr of
Bath being his Benefaction at
Admission

Mr Carew
1.1.0

10 Dr Jenner informing ye Society
that His Grace the Duke of Bedford
intended to send over a Thousand French
Bibles to the New Settlement in
Nova Scotia: the Society unanimously
agreed to defray the Expence of binding
those Bibles and made it their Request
to Mr A L Denne to supply the Sum
that might be wanted for that purpose
out of Mr Belke's Charity.

11 Agreed that Dr Jenner be
desir'd to Acquaint Mr Kelby Secretary
to the Board of Trade, to the Resolutions
of the Society on this Head

12 Agreed that Mr A L De Denne
be empowred to pay the whole Expence
of the Impression, of the Tract, entitled
the Protestants Reasons why he
cannot turn Papist, upon Condition
that the Bp of Worcester makes Over
to

to the Society all right & Title to the Impr
on; as also all right & Title to the Copy

13 The Revd Mr Stehelin paid half a Guinea to Mr A. D. Dumne as a Benefaction to the General Designs for which the Society gave him their th Thanks.

14 Agreed that Dr Carters two Legacys, One of £110 Bank Stock be made up £200 & the other of £295..5..11 in New S. Sea Annuities be made up £300, & that the Sum requisite for that purpose be advanced by the Treasurer for Subscriptions out of the Ballance in his hands at the last Audit.

15 A Letter was read from a Gentleman in Norfolk, who desires to be Unknown enclosing a Bill upon Mr Prentice & Co in Smithfield for £40 being a Benefaction to the General Designs.

Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be given for ye Benefaction

16 Agreed that Tuesday ye 23d Inst be appointed for the Anniversary Meeting of the Society to Dine together at ye Crown & Anchor Tavern in ye Strand.

Agreed that a Dinner be provided for thirty Guests at 2..6 a Hea

Agreed

17 Agreed that an Abstract of the Society's Proceedings for the last Year ending at ye Audit 29 April 1749 be prepar'd by the Secry in Order to its being read at the Anniversary Meeting

Letters were read from Mr Pages at Farnborough, Mr Barton at Westmr. Mr Anderson at London, Dr Stonehouse at Northampton Mr Bourdillon at Lond° 1749.

Bartlet's Buildrs

Tuesday 9th May 1749

Present

Mr A. D. Denne, Dr Wilson, Mr Jenkin, Mr Parfect, Mr Ferrett Mr Bromsall, Mr Dobree Col. Hudso

Mr A. D. Denne in the Chair

The Secretary reported that he had rec'd the following Benefrs & paid them to Mr A D Denne

To the General Designs

By Do Sundries	From the Revd Mr Beeke of Kings Teighton Devon	,,10,,6	
21.10.6	A.B. by the Secretary	1,,1,,0	
	Rev Mr Thirlow Vicr of Thurcton Nor:	1,,1,,0	
	M.A.D.D.	1,,1,,0	
	A Wido Gentlewn by hands of the Revd Mr Tucker of Bristol	1,,1,,0	
	Mrs Marris & another Lady by Ditto	1,,1,,0	
	Chris: Goulton Esqr	1,,1.0	
	Revd Mr Clarke	1.1.0	
	Revd Mr Mease	,,10,,6	
	A Gentlewn desiring to be Unknown by Ditto	2,,2,,–	
	Mrs Hyde Wido	,,10,,6	5,,5,,0
	which five last Benefactions were remitted by Mr Aldermn Davies of Beverley Yorksho		
	Mrs Lucy Osborn by hands of the Rev Mr Leman of Kirkstee		2,,2.0
	Gabriel Hanger of Driffield in the County of Glocester Esqr by hands of ye Lord Bp of Glocester		5,,5.–
	Revd Mr Jackson of Addle Yorksho		1,,1.0
	Revd Mr Nairn Dean of Battle		1,,1,,0
	Mr E. S by Ditto		1.1.0
		£	21.10.6

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To the Welch Bible

Sundries 3.3 — From Lady Holte by Mr Wellman 2.2.

A P'son desiring to be Unknown Chanes of the Revd Mr Pages of Farmbro' Somersetsh. } 1.1.

£ 3.3.

Ordered that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Benefactors

2 The Revd Mr Jenkin paid to Mr A D Denne the Sum of £50 from Charles Trelawny Esq ~~deceas'd~~ being a Benefaction directed to Mrs Ann Trelawny deceased to be applied towards carrying on ye Societys designs in distributing religious Books among Charity Schools.

3 Agreed that Mr Jenkin be desird to give the Thanks of the Society to Mr Trelawny for the Payment of the Benefaction.

4 Mr Dobree Senr reported that last Wednesday The Revd Mr A D Squire had preach'd at Christ Church before the Trustees of the Charity Schools in & about London, at their Anniversary Meeting from Matt. 6. 19. 20. Lay not up for

yourselves Treasures upon Earth, where Moth & Rust doth corrupt, & where Thieves break through & Steal: but lay up for yourselves Treasures in Heaven, where neither Moth nor Rust doth corrupt, & where Thieves do not break through nor Steal.

Agreed that the Thanks of the Society be given to Mr A D Squire for his Sermon on that Occasion & that he be desir'd to favour ye Society with a Copy of it in Order to be Printed

5 Agreed that when the said Sermon is sent to the Society that 1500 Copies of it be printed wth as many Copies of the Account of ye Society annex'd to ye Sermon as usual.

6 Agreed that ye Account of the Society's Proceedings be referr'd to ye Perusal of Mr A D Denne in Order to be prepared for the Press.

7 Agreed that 100 Copies of the Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn Papist be sent as a Present to the Revd Mr Bacon a Corresponding Member in Mary Land at the request of Dr Wilson &c

8 Agreed to Adjourn to the Tuesday after Whitson Week, & that a Meeting of the Society be Summon'd for that Day

9 Agreed that the Secrys do dispatch the Necessary Business of the Society during the Adjournment

Letters were read from Mr Castleman 1 May, Mr Arnald at Thurcaston 1 May, Dr Osborn at Clifton 4 May, Mr Remington at Glocester 1749.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 23 May 1749

Present.

Mr A. D. Denne, Dr Cartwright, Mr Warcopp, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Pittius, Mr Jenkin, Mr Ferrette, Mr Wright, Sr Wm Brown, Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson, Col Hudson.

Mr A. D. Denne in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A. D. Denne ye undermention'd Benefact. to the General Designs viz

From Mrs Cleeve 1. 1. –
Mr Wm Wright of St Anns Westmr 1. 1. –
A Person unknown by hands of
the Worshipful Dr Bettesworth 20. –

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

3 Mr A D Denne reported that Mr Ferrett had paid him £50 for ye Purpose mention'd in ye Minutes of 4 April last.

4 Agreed that the Thanks of the Society be given to Mr Ferrett for his Benefaction

5 The Secry further reported that he had recd of the Revd Dr Pelling £9, being the Interest Money of a Legacy left by the late Dugal Campbell Esqr towards releasing Confin'd Debtors out of the Gate House Westmr. Fleet & Marshalsea Prisons

6 Agreed that the Thanks of this Society be sent to the Trustees for Georgia for 24 Copies of a Sermon preach'd at their Anniversary Meeting 16 March last by the Revd Mr Harbeſſe Fellow of Magdalen College Cambridge

7 Agreed also that Thanks be given to ye Govrs of Middx Hospital for 12 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before them 7 Mar: last by the Revd Mr E D Yardley

8 Wm Price of Ralace in Merion Esqr recommended by the Lord Bp of Bangor was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society.

9 And the Revd Mr Thistlewaite of Sunning Hill Berks, & the Revd Mr Muscott of Boston Lincolnsr both recommended by Dr Jenner were chose Corresponding Members.

10 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint those Gentlemen wth such Choice.

11 The Society upon taking into their Consideration, ye present State of ye Welch Bible,

12 Order'd that the following Letter should be sent, as Occasion requires, to their Members in Wales, viz

Sir

13 In Answer to yours of the Inst I am Order'd by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge to Acquaint you, that it gave them a great deal of pleasure to find the People so desirous of having the Bible in their own Language. But the Demands already made upon them are so great that

that they cannot possibly get a suff
Number bound to Answer those Demands
in less then 4 Months; after wch time you
may expect such a Proportion to be dispo
among you as the Society can supply. —
However for your farther satisfaction, I can
inform you, that the Society has a Design
to go on as soon as they can, not only with
another Edition of ye Bible in Welch, more
suitable to common use, but also wth an
Edition of Prayer Books & Testamts in the
same Language. —

14 A Bill of Expences at the Anniversary Meeting of the Charity Children was laid before ye Society consisting of the following Articles viz.

	£ s d
To the Servants of ye Church	1,,1,,0
Six Porters	,,15,,
Four Bottles of Wine	,,9,,4
Clerk's attendance	,,5,,
Porter at ye back Door	,,2,,6
Mr Thorne for building the Scaffold	13,,13,,—
Mr West for teaching the Children to sing ye Hymn	3,,3,,—
Six Rolls	,, 6
£	19,,9,,4

15 Agreed that Mr A D: Denne be desired to pay the said Bill

16 Agreed that the Trustees of ye Charity Schools be desir'd from time to time to acquaint the Society wth Name of the Preacher, a Month before the Anniversary Sermon is preach'd.

17 The Meſsenger informing the Board that Mr Oliver had deliver'd to him 500 Copies of The Childs Christian Education, wch Number the Society agreed to buy up according to their Minutes of 7 Feby last

18 Agreed that Mr A D. Denne be desir'd to pay the Cost of those Books amounting to £10

19 Letters were read from Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 16 May Mr White at Stratford 20 May Mr Croſsman at Sudbury 13 May Mr Micklethwait at Leeds 20 May Mr Marchant at Edburton, 15 May Mr Dixon at Bath 15 May Mr Leman at Kirstead Mr Parsons at Hemmal Mr Vaughan at Leominster 8 May 17

Bartlets B

Tuesday 30 May 1749

Prest

Mr A D Denne, Mr A D Cartwright
Mr Carew, Mr Debree, Mr Terrett
Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson

Mr A D Denne in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that the Dinner at the Anniversary Meeting of the Society's Members last Tuesday came to 5„15„6

Advanc'd by the Members being 26 in No at 2„6 each } 3„5„–

Exceedings of ye 1/2 Crowns 2„11„6

2 Agreed that Mr A D Denne be desir'd to pay the Exceedings

3 The Secry further reported that there was collected after Dinner for charitable uses as the Society should direct £ 6„–„–

4 The Charity Box being open'd, there was found in it £1„2„2 1/2 wch added to ye former Sum makes £ 7„2„2 1/2

5 Agreed that ye whole be distributed among ye undermention'd Objects of Charity in ye following proportions viz

To Benjn Richardson recommended by Col. Hudson } „7„6

Brot Over	£ ,, 7 ,, 6
Wido Chadwick by Sr J. Thorold	,, 5 ,, –
Jos: Sherodio by Dr Pelling	,, 7 ,, 6
Mrs Ashworth by Dr Denne	,, 9 ,, –
Wido Caris by Ditto	,, 8 ,, –
Wido Nuthins by Ditto	,, 7 ,, 6
Wido Bell by the Society	,, 10 ,, 6
Wido Lyde by Mr Ziegenhagen	,, 7 ,, 6
Wido Sisson by Sr J. Thorold	,, 5 ,, –
Wido Williams by Mr Clendon	,, 7 ,, –
Wido Worlidge by Mr Berriman	,, 7 ,, 6
Rev Mr Mackubine by Ditto	,, 7 ,, 6
Wido Bough by Mr Ziegenhagen	,, 7 ,, 6
Mrs Musgrave by Mr Berriman	,, 7 ,, 6
Martha Vickers by Mr Watts	,, 7 ,, 6
Wido Lamkin by Ditto	,, 5 ,, –
Wido Huddleston by Mr Broughton	,, 7 ,, 6
Jos: Ottolenghe by Ditto	,, 7 ,, 6
Sarah Bennet by Mr Stockwell	,, 5 ,, –
A poor Object by Mr Dobree	,, 5 ,, 2
	£ 7 ,, 2 ,, 2

6 Mr Johnson brought Specimens of Paper for Printing ye Anniversary Sermon & agreed to furnish a sort a 10 ,, 6 p

Ordered that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to Mr Dixon of Bath for 200 Copies his Moral Essays.

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 6 June 1749

Prest

Mr A D Denne, Mr Butjenter
Mr Berriman, Mr Newcomen
Mr Albinus, Dr Robinson Mr Carau,
Mr Sydenham, Mr Ferrell

Mr A D Denne in ye Chair

1 A Letter from Charles Floyer Esqr at Fort St Davids dated 23 July 1748. as also Letters from Messrs Kiernander & Breithaupt, & the Danish Missionaries at Tranquebar were read & referr'd to Mr
1 A D Denne.

2 ( ) Agreed that the Charity Money appointed for the release of Poor Debtors viz £ 9.. being the Legacy of the late Dugal Campbell Esqr & £ 10 being the gift of Mrs Read by the Lord Bp of Oxford, be left in ye hands of the Secry to be dispos'd of as Objects arise, under ye direction of the Comee.

3 The Secry reported that he had rec'd & paid ye undermention'd Benefactions to Mr A D Denne, viz.

From

G D	From a P^son desiring to be Unknown	1.1.–
Sundries 19.14.–	A Lady ... D^o	1.1.–
	Rev Mr Welles of Prestbury Glocestershire	1.1.–
	Two Ladies by S. Torriano Esqr	4.4.–
	Part of the Produce of a charitable Legacy under ye direction of Mr Jno Thorold	5.–.–
	Jam^s Clarke of Ormond St. Esqr	5.5.–

G D
Mr Cook 1.1.0
Mr Syer 1.1.0
Mr Sydenham paid to Mr Dr Denne a Guinea from the Revd Mr Cook, as also a Guinea from the Rev Mr Syer being their Benefaction at Admission.

4 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

Mr Butgehter according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman during this Month.

5 The Rev Mr Edm^d Gibson Precent^r of St Pauls recommended by Dr Cartwright & Dr Denne, & the Rev Mr Burroughs Chaplain to the Lord B^p of Ely, recommended by Dr Denne were chose Subscribing Members of this Society by Balloting

6 And the Revd Mr Saml Baker
Recr of Kirkby Cane in ye County of Norfolk
recommended by Mr Parsons was chose
a Corresponding Member

7 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint
those Gentlemen wth such Choice

8 Letters were read from Mr Allen
at Kettering, Mr Bethell at Ousden, Mr
Grimwood at Dedham, Mr Blundell at
Leverpoole, Mr Cook at Ardley 3 June 1749.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 13 June 1749.

Prest

Dr Denne, Mr Bulgenter, Mr Price
Mr Dobree, Col. Hildson

Mr Bulgenter in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd
& paid ye undermention'd Benefactions
to Mr A. D. Denne viz

From the Revd Dr Stephenson Vicr Netherbury Dorset. at Admn	1.1.–
A Gentleman in Norfolk desiring to be Unknown, whereof Advice was given in ye Minutes of 2d May	40 –

Brot Over £ 41 .. - ..

Pd. £ 9
Sundries 42.1.0

Wm Price Esq. of Rulace in Merionethsh. at Admisn } 1 .. 1 ..

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

3 The Secry acquainted the Comee that they had recd 100 Copies of the Revd Dr Georges Sermon, preach'd before the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, 17 Feby 1748, as a Present from that Society.

4 Order'd that the Thanks of this Society be ~~return'd~~ for ye Present.

5 Mr Dod inform'd the Comee that the following Tracts in ye Society's Catalogue were at present out of Print viz

Earnest Exhortation to Housekeepers to set up the Worship of God in their Families

& Serious Address to Godfathers.

6 Agreed that the said Tracts be referr'd to Mr A.D. Denne & Mr

6 Dobree for their Perusal.

7 Letters were read from Mr. Ebdell at Annesley 16 June & Dr Bowtell at Patrixbourne 12 June, Mr Burroughs at Cambridge, & Mr Potter at Collingham 1749.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 20 June 1749

Prest

Mr Butjenter, Mr A D Denne, Mr Pittius, Dr Robinson, Mr Dobree Mr Terrett, Col Hudson

1 Mr Butjenter in ye Chair

Legacy Mr Peck 100 Mr A D Denne reported that he had rec.d of Sr Robt Ladbroke One Hundred Pounds being a Legacy left to the Society by the late John Peck Esq.

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be given to Sr Robt Ladbroke for ye Payment of the Legacy.

3 Letters were read from the Bp of Worcester, Mr Talbot at Cambridge Sr Wm Wentworth at Bretton, Mr Hatfield at Lilley, Mr Tucker at Bristol, Dr Troughear in ye Isle of Wight 1749

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 27 June 1749

Prest

Mr Carew, Mr Pittius, Col Hudson

Col Hudson in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Butjenter

1 Upon reading a Letter from the Revd Mr Barth: Zuberbuhler, Missionary at Georgia, requesting ye favour of a few religious Books for the People of his Missi

2 Agreed that a Present be made him of such Books as are in ye Society's Catalog to ye Amount of £2.. .. binding included.

3 A Letter from the Danish Missionaries at Tranquebar dated 4th Octr 1748 w read & referr'd to Mr A.D. Denne

Pd 4 Professor Chappelow 1.1.0 A Letter was also read from the Revd Mr Chappelow at Hormead Herts, desiring the Secry to deposit a Guinea for him on Account of the General Designs, to be inserte in ye List for last Year.

5 Letters were read from Mr Carry at Shipston 24 June, Mr May at Jamaica 10 April & Mr Ingram at Whichford 21 June 1749.

Bartlet's Building
Tuesday 4th July 1749.
Pres. 6
Mr Caren, Mr Butjenter
Mr Parfect.

Mr

Mr Butzenter in the Chair

1 Mr Parfect according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman during this Month

2 Mr A. D. Lechmere recommended by Mr Gymmwezo was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society.

3 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint Mr A. D. Lechmere wth such Choice.

4 Order'd that Mr Watts in ye Absence of Dr Denne do pay ye following Bills, vizt

Jno Oliver	for Rent of a Ware-House for ye Welch Bible to Midsr 1749	3"0"0
Ditto	for Rent of a Ware House for ye Arabick Testamt &c	2"10"0
Ditto	for Printing 5000 Letters in Welch & English, relating to the distribution of ye W. Bible	4"14"6
		£10"4"6

5. Order'd that the Anniversary Sermon preach'd by the Revd Mr A. S. Squire wth an Acct of the Proceedings of the Society annex'd be Sent to all the Subscribing & Correspondg Members, & also to the Benefactors mention'd at the end of the Acct for the last Year

Agreed that presents of the said Sermon be made as follows

To Mr A. D. Squire as many as
he pleases
120 to the Charity Schools
24 to the Clergy of London who atten
ye Sermon to be sent to Mr Berrim
50 to the Society for the Propagation of
the Gospel in Foreign Parts
28 to the Court of Directors of the
East India Company
24 to the Society in London Correspond
wth ye Society in Ireland.
24 to the Society in London Correspon
wth ye Society in Scotland
24 to the Govrs of St Geo: Hospital
24 to the Trustees of Westmr Infirmary
12 to the Govrs of the London Infirmary
12 to the Trustees for Georgia
18 to the Revd Dr Hales
6 to the Revd Dr Wilson
12 to the Revd Dr Denne
6 to the Minister & Church Wardens of
Christ Church
24 to the University of Oxford to be
sent to the Revd Dr Pardoe
24 to the University of Cambridge to
be sent to the Revd Dr Long

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 11 July 1749

Present

Mr Gosling, Col Hudson, Mr Pittam
Mr Dobree, Mr Trevanion, Mr Ravaud,
Mr Gosling in the Chair in the
Absence of Mr Parfect.

1 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Society Corresponding wth that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestant Working Schools in Ireland, for 200 Copies of their Anniversary Sermon preach'd at St Mary le Bow 4 April 1749 by The Revd Dr Nicolls

To the Trustees of Westmr Infirmary for 50 Copies of their Annual Account

To the Govrs of Winchester Hospital for 6 Accts of their Proceedings for the last Year.

2 E. J. M. The Secry reported that he had recd the undermention'd Benefactions to the Eastern Mission viz

From Mr R. Marchant of Edburton Sussex	1" 1" –
Mr Wm Balcombe of Angmering	" 11" 6
Mr Thos Barter of Poinings	" 10 6
Mr Thos Marchant of Petching	" 5 –
Messrs J & W Marchant of Truely	" 5 –
T. Payne, J. Haile & others &c	7 –

3.. – .. –

3 Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

4 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Moore accompany'd wth 75 Copies of a small Tract, entitled, The Necessity and Usefulness of Reading the Holy Scriptur written Originally in French by the Revd Mr Ostervald & translated by Mr Moore.

5 Agreed that the Thanks of the Society be sent for the Present.

6 Agreed that a Packet of Books & Tracts, out of the Store, be sent as a Present to the Revd Mr Smith Minr of Foots Cray in Kent, at ye request of Mr Gosling.

7 Letters were read from Mr Whit at Layton Bozard 4 July, Mr Thistlewaite at Sunning Hill, Mr Castleman at Sout Petherton 3 July, Mrs Blundell at Leverpo 4 July, Mr Wilson at Cocking 6 July 1749.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 18 July 1749

Present

Mr Gosling, Mr Carew, Mr Trevan

Mr Gosling in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr Parfect

1 A Letter was read from the Re Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia dated 19 May 1749 giving some Acct of ye religious & civil state of the Saltzburghers in that Colony.

2 Mr Trevanion paid to the Secretary two Guineas being a Benefaction to the East India Mission from Mr De Neve & his Daughters.

E. I. M

De Neve 2. 2.

Agreed that Mr Trevanion be desired to give ye Society's Thanks for the Present.

3 The Secry acquainting the Comee with the Case of some poor Objects detaind for Debt in Ludgate & the Marshalsea Prisons

4 Agreed that the Secry may apply Mrs Read's Benefaction of £10 toward setting them at Liberty.

Letters were read from Mr Baker at Hedenham, Mr Hildesley at Hitchin Dr Young at Welwyn, Mr Micklethwaite at Leeds, Dr Wilson at Tunbrige 1749.

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 25th July 1749

Prest

Dr Wilson, Mr Church, Mr Gosling, Mr Newey, Mr Pittius, Mr Dobree

Mr

Mr Gosling in the Chair
in the Absence of Mr Parfect

1
G. D.
Mr Rogers
10.6

The Secry reported that he had recd a Benefaction of Half a Guinea to the General Designs from the Revd Mr Rogers of Warminster by the hands of Mr Gerrett, wch was placed to Dr Dennes Account

2
G. D.
Mr Rakes
2.2.0

Mr Dod paid a Benefaction of Two Guineas from Mr Rakes of Glocester to the Genl Designs, wch Sum was likewise carried to Dr Dennes Accot.

3

Orderd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

4

Upon reading a Letter from Dr Wilson dated the 20th Inst in relation to Messrs Price & Stennets having made an application to him for the Society's performing ye remainder of ye Agreement with ye late Dr Watts.

5

Orderd that ye Secry do wri to Mr Stennet & Acquaint him, that ye Society would have been very glad they coud immediately have complied wth their request

request signified by Dr Wilson. But the Demands from the Members of ye Society even of some who have paid their Money before hand, are extreamly pressing; & the Society have no Copies in Town, but what are in the hands of the Binders: But that they intend to send for a fresh supply, & God willing will let the Gentlemen have the remaining 500 at farthest, ye beginning of Sepr & at the same time to return them the Society's Thanks for their kind intention signified by Dr Wilson of presenting them wth a Thousand Common Prayer Books.

6. Ordered that a Packet of small Tracts to the value of £2 be given to the Revd Mr Ogilvy, One of the Missionaries to the Society for Propagation of ye Gospel in Foreign Parts

7. Letters were read from Mr Tucker at Cornwall, Mr Boswell at Taunton, Mr Vaughan at Leominster 1749

Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 1st Augt 1749

Prest

Mr Dobree, Mr Warcopp, Mr Gosling

Mr Dobree in the Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Perfec

1 The above Gentlemen by reason that four Subscribing Members did not attend, acted as a Committee

2 Agreed that two Packets of Books out of the Stores be sent as Presents to the Revd Mr Vaughan of Leominster in Herefordsr & to the Revd Mr Parsons of Hemnal near Norwich for the Charity Schools in their respective Parishes.

3 Agreed likewise that 6 Addrs to Prisoners for Crimes be sent to the Keep of the Savoy at ye request of Dr Hales

4 Agreed to Adjourn to the 1st Tuesday in Septr & that the Secrys do dispatch ye Necessary Business of the Society during the sd Adjournment

5 Letters were read from Mr Fenwick at Hallaton, Mr Vaughan at Lemster, Mr Jackson at Adley, Mr Harris at Stonehouse Mr Arnold at Burton, Dr Osborn at Clifton, Mr Blundell at Leverpoole Mr Crew at Muxon, Mr Linton at Frieston 1749

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 5 Sept.ʳ 1749

Presᵗ

Mr. A. D. Yardley, Mr. Carew, Mr. Bourdillon, Mr. Butjenter, Col. Hudson, Mr. Tobree.

Mr. A. D. Yardley in yᵉ Chair in the Absence of Mr. Parfect.

1 G. D. Sundries — The Secʸ reported that he had receiv'd yᵉ following Benefactions to the General Designs during yᵉ Society's Adjournment wᶜʰ were carried to Dr. Denne's Accᵗ.

From the Rev.ᵈ Mr. Burroughs Chaplain to the Ld. Bp. of Ely at Admission	1..1..–
Rev.ᵈ Mr. Renderson Missionary at N. Grotton in N. England	..13..3
Rev Mr. Profʳ Chappelow at Hormead Herts	1..1.–
Rev Mr. Dumaresque Chaplain to the British Factory at Petersburgh	1..1.–
Rev.ᵈ Mr. Cookson at Leeds Yorks.	1..1.–
Rev.ᵈ Dr. Regis at Adisham Kent	..10..6
Rev.ᵈ Mr. Cartwright at Wroxeter Salop	1..1.–
	£6..8.

Bro.t Over £6..6..9

Ditto for a Person Unknown	2..2..–
Will.m Dunster of Layton Stone Esq.r	5..5..–
Rev W.m A. L. Lechmere at Adm:	1..1–
A Person desiring to be Unknown by Ditto	1..1–
Rev.d M.r Kirshaw of Coningsby Lincoln.re	2..2
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown & hands of the R.d D.r Hales	3..3..–
M.r Step: Goujeon & hands of the Rev.d M.r Bourdillon	..10..
The Legacy of the late Rev M.r Godley of Hitchin Herts & hands of his Ex.or D.r Messenger Monsey	50..
	£71..13..

Ordered that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors 3

4 Col Hudson according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman during this Month

5 Mr Johnson having deliver'd in a Bill of £21.11.11 for Paper for Printing the Anniversary Sermon

6 Order'd that Mr Watts do pay the said Bill in the Absence of Dr Denne

7 The Rev Mr Richd Brome of Ipswich in Suffolk recommended by Mr Carew was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society

8 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint Mr Brome wth such Choice.

9. Letters were read from Mr White at Stratford, Mr Punderson at Grotton, Mr Peploe at Manchester, Mr Bolzius at Georgia

1 May 1749

Bartlets Building
Tuesday 12 Septr 1749.

Present

Col. Hudson, Mr Dobree Mr Bourdillon

Col. Hudson in ye Chair

1 Agreed that two Copies of ye New Testament in Arabick be given, One to the Rev Mr Dumaresque at Petersburgh & the other to the Rev Mr Thompson at New Jersey

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 26 Sep.r 1749

Pres.t

Mem.
There was no Committee
last Tuesday, by reason that
no member attended, except
the Chairman.

M.r Doughty M.r Butjenk
M.r Parfeit Col Hudson

Col Hudson in the Chair

1 The Sec.ry reported that he h
received & placed to D.r Denne's Acc
the undermention'd Benefactions to th
General Designs, viz.

G 2
Sundries
£ 7"7"

	£
From the Rev. M.r Comiss.ry May at Jamaica …	4..
Rev. D.r Sharpe Prebend of Durham …	2..2
A Person desiring to be Unknown by M.r Brathery	1..
	£ 7..7

Ordered that the Thanks of
the Society be sent to the Benefacto

2. A Letter being read from Sir
Jn.o Thorold at Cranwell dated 23.d Jan

Inst. in which he requests of ye Society that Mr Griffith Jones may be furnis with his Number of Welch Bibles, as soon as may be, if possible before Winter for fear of the Danger of the Seas, & the Comee being inform'd that a Ship was now in ye River just ready to Sail for Carmarthen, & that there was no prospect of a like Conveyance for a good while: it was agreed that 400 Welch Bibles shoud be sent to Mr Jones forthwith, out of the Number allotted to him by the Society.

3 Agreed that a Packet of Book not exceeding 20s value be given to Mr Shultz One of the Missionaries employ'd under Mr Professr Callenbergh at Hall in Saxony, for the Conversion of the Jews

1 Agreed also that 12 Arabick Testaments be given to the same Gentlem he thinking that he shall have an opportunity to disperse the same among the Jews in Turkey

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 3d October 1749

Presᵗ

Mr Bulgenter, Mr A. D. Yardley,
Mr Bourdillon, Dr Bearcroft,
Mr Wright, Dr Robinson, Mr D

Mr A. D. Yardley in ye Cha
in ye Absence of Col. Huds

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & carried to Dr Dennes Accᵗ ye undermentiond Benefactions to ye General

6 Designs viz.

G D
Sundries 2..2..

From the Revd Dr Osborn Recr of Clifton Bedfords.e	1..1..
The Revd Mr Jno Moore Lectr of St Bartholomew ye Less at Admission	1..1..

Ordered that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 Mr A. D. Yardley according to Rotation, was desir'd to be Chairman for ye present Month

3. The Revd Mr Ellis Price, Vicar of Holywell, in ye County of Flint recom

by the Bp of St Asaph. The Revd Mr William Rowley, Vicar of Triston, Suffolk, recommended by Mr Benett & The Revd Mr Robt Clarke Vic of Litlington Bedfordsh. recommended by Mr White of Leyton Bozard, were chose Correspond. Members of this Society.

Order'd that the Secrys do Acquaint those Gentlemen wth such choice.

4. A Tract entitled *Instructions for the Young Christian, or an Exposition of the Church Catechism by way of Question & Answer, Confirm'd by Scripture Proofs, & Adapted to ye meanest Capacity* in Welch & English, having been recommended by three Subscribing Members, viz Mr A D Yardley Mr Doughty & Mr Dobree Senr. as a Tract fit & requisite to promote ye Designs of the Society & having been since referr'd to, & perus'd by four other Members & approv'd was admitted by Balloting upon ye Catalogue Price 3½ or 25 ⅌ hundred. Mr Dod having agreed to furnish the Society wth 500 Copies of the said Tract at 3d each. The Society consented to buy up that Number & to Circulate them along with the Bibles in Wales.

5. Dr Bearcroft laid before the Board a Clause in ye Will of Dr Evans late Rector of Uffington in Lincolnsh. by wch he bequeaths his Library to this Society to be by them given & disposed of to such poor Livings & Vicarages in England or Wales

as

as the Society shall judge to stand most in
need of such Charitable Assistances; & to
fix them in such Parishes accordingly
for ye use of the Incumbents for ye time being
& their Successors. And whatsoever Books the
Society shall judge not useful or not proper
for such Incumbents, then Dr Evans desire &
Will is, that such Books be sold or exchang'd
for others more useful or necessary, as ye Society
shall think fit. And that the Revd Mr Edwd
Gregory Rectr of Ashwell in Rutlandsh: had
acquainted him therewith, & desir'd that ye said
Library (a Catalogue of which was laid before
ye Board,) might be directed to be sent up to
the Society

6 Order'd that ye Secry do write
to Mr Gregory about sending ye said Library

7 Mr Oliver being called in, agreed
to lodge the said Library in his Warehouse

8 The Board being informed that
four Months were now pass'd since any of ye
Welch Bibles had been dispers'd according to an
Order of 23d May last, & Mr Dod reporting
that he had now 5000 Bibles by him bound
& ready for Circulation: & the Members in
Wales having earnestly besought the Society that
they might be favour'd wth such Bibles, as they
had writ for, from time to time

9 Agreed that ye Welch Bibles be dispos'd again as before, & that each Member may have the full Number he has desir'd according to a List laid before ye Board this Day, except Mr Price of Llangevelach, whose demand being thought too large, it is order'd that 400 Welch Bibles only be sent to him, out of ye 700 he has applied for.

10 Dr Denne having directed ye Secry to ask ye opinion of ye Board, whether ye two last India Bonds belonging to the Impression of Welch Bibles, in Mr Hoares hands, but in the Doctors Name should be mark'd

11. Agreed that ye said Bonds be mark'd & that Notice thereof be given at Mr Hoares.

The Secry informing the Board, that having consulted ye Treasurers, about raising of a Screne Door in the passage, between the Street door & ye foot of the Stairs. & reported from them, that they judg'd ye same might be necessary & convenient.

Agreed that a Door of that kind be made according to a Plan & Estimate deliverd in by Jno Thorne for that purpose.

Letters were read from Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 26. Sept. Mr Howell at Kilkenni Dr Osborn at Clifton 26 Sept. Mr Owen at Broadwell 23 Sept. Dr Wilson at Tunbridge Welles 28 Sept. 1749.

Bartlets Buildg

Tuesday 10th Oct 17

Pres.t

Dr Cartwright, Mr Norvell, Col. Huds
Mr Dobree, Dr Robinson ——

(Dr Cartwright in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr A D Yardley

1 Mr Dod informing the Comee, that ye undermention'd Tracts were out of Print, viz.

Plain Directions for reading ye Scrip
Directions for ye Devout use of ye Com. O
Dr Woodward agt Swearing
Do agt Uncleanness
Do Reflections on ye grievous scan
of Profane Language

2 Agreed that the said Tra be referr'd to the Perusal of this Committe

3 Upon reading a Letter fro Sir Jno Thorold at Cranwell in Lincols

dated 30 Sepr wherein he moves ye Society
that the Rev ~~Mr~~ Griff: Jones may have
his whole Number of Welch Bibles sent
him forthwith, in discharge of ye sum formerly
paid into ye Society on Acct of ye Impression
of the said Bibles:

4 Agreed that Sir Jno Thorold's Motion
be comply'd with so soon as ye demands of
the other Members, according to a List laid
before ye Board at their last General Meeting
are satisfy'd.

5 The Secry acquainting the Comee
with ye calamitous Circumstances of some Unhap-
py Persons detain'd for Debt in ye Jails of
this City:

6 Agreed that the Secry be impowr'd
to discharge as many Debtors as he can
out of ye Money left by Dugal Campbell Esqr
for that charitable Purpose.

Letters were read from Mr Pratt
at Winton 5 Octr Mr Boswell at Taunton
Mr Shaw at Merevale & Mr Nowell 1749.

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Bartlets Building

Tuesday 17 Oct.r 1749

Pres.t

Col. Hudson, Mr Horne, Mr Dob

Col. Hudson in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr A. D. Yard

1 Mr Horne paid to the Secry in
the Absence of Dr Denne, One Guinea
G. D from the Revd Mr Broome of Ipswich
Mr Broome in Suffolk, being his Benefaction to
1.1.– the General Designs of ye Society at Admis

2. Agreed that Mr Horne be
desird to give ye Society's Thanks to the
Benefactor

Letters were read from Mr
Arnold at Thurcaston 14 Octr. Mr Crossman
at Sudbury Mr Parker at Great Rollright
Mr Castleman at So. Petherton Mr Port
at Huntsham 14 Octr 1749.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 24 Octor 1749.

Presᵗ

Dʳ Cartwright, Mʳ Stehelin, Mʳ Berriman, Col. Hudson, Dʳ Robinson

Dʳ Cartwright in yᵉ Chair in yᵉ absence of Mʳ A D Yardley

1 Mʳ Berriman paid to the Secʳʸ in yᵉ Absence of Dʳ Denne, one Guinea; being a Benefaction to yᵉ General Designs from the Revᵈ Mʳ Osborn, Rectʳ of New Timber in Sussex

G D

Mʳ Osborn 1.1.–

Order'd that yᵉ Thanks of yᵉ Society be sent to yᵉ Benefactor

2 Agreed that Mʳ Watts, in yᵉ Absence of yᵉ Treasʳ do pay yᵉ undermention'd Bills wᶜʰ were laid before yᵉ Comᵉᵉ viz

To Jnᵒ Camp for binding 200 Books. part Lewis's Catechᵐ & part Fisher's Spelling Book	2.10.–
To Jnᵒ Oliver for binding 12 Arabic Testaments	1.17.6

3. Letters were read from some of the Society's Missionaries & Correspondents in yᵉ East Indies.

4. Agreed that ye Journals accompanying the said Letters be read at ye next General Meeting

Letters were read from Dr. Osborn at Clifton, Mr Gregory at Glocester 19 Oct. Mr Dumaresque at St Petersbourgh, Mr Oston at Newlimber 1749.

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 31 October 1749

Present

Mr Gosling, Mr E. Berriman

Mr Gosling in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr A D Yard

1 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Foort at Huntsham Devon dated 24 Ins wth a Bill upon Philip Baker Esq. for £4.4 to pay for Books.

2 The Secry reported that he had rec

G. D. Mr Shute 1 " 1 " — & carried to Dr Wenmes Acct One Guinea being a Benefaction to the General Desig from ye Revd Mr E. Shute Vr of Olveston Glost

3 Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society sent to ye Benefactor

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 7 Novr. 1749
Prest.

Mr. Warcopp Mr. Moore, Mr. Stehelin
Mr. Parfect, Mr. Jenkin, Dr. Wilson
Dr. Berriman, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Gosling
Col. Hudson, Mr. Dobree Dr. Robinson
Mr. Edwards in ye Chair in ye Absence
of Mr. A.D. Yardley.

1 Mr. Edwards (according to Rotation) was desir'd to be Chairman for ye prest Month.

2 The Revd Mr. Richd Humphreys M.A. of Norwich, being recommended by Mr. A.D. Denne, was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society: And the Revd Mr. Jos: Hedges Rectr. of Kelley Devon, recomended by Mr. Chancellr. Fursman, was chose a Corresponding Member.

3 Order'd that ye Secry do Acquaint those Gentlemen wth such Choice.

4 Agreed that ye undermention'd Tracts as revis'd by the following Gentlemen, & with Amendments approv'd be reprinted & dispers'd as before. viz

Plain Directions for reading ye Scrip
revis'd by Col. Hudson

Directions for ye Devout use of ye Com: Pray
revis'd by Dr. Cartwright

Dr Woodward agt Swearing revis'd by Mr Norvell & Mr Dobree.

5 Order'd that Dr Woodward's Tract agt Uncleanness, & his Reflections on ye Grievous Scandal of Profane Language, refe at ye same time ye preceding Tracts were, be no reprinted till further Order.

6 Agreed that ye New Edition of the Revd Mr Ostervald's Arguments of ye Books & Chapters of ye Old & New Testaments wth Practical Observations be dispers'd, as the alterations & Additions wch have been m to it in ye 3d Edition, are unanimously app of by those Members of ye Society to whom they were referr'd.

7 The Church Catechism broke into Short Questions &c. (wch is at present out of Print) having been revis'd by Mr Moor & wth Amendments approv'd, it is order'd that the said Tract be reprinted.

8 The Secry Acquainted ye Board tha according to an Order of 5th March 1744 5. he had collated Mr Baskett's 8vo Bible bre Character, printed at London in ye Years 1741, & 1742, in wch he had discover'd Several Err as well in ye Text as in ye Marginal Note & References.

9 Order'd that ye Secry do draw out a fair Copy of these Errors & wait upon the Arch Bp of Canterbury & lay them before His Grace.

10. Letters were read from Dr Bentell at Patrixbourne Dr Osborn at Clifton Mr Ingram at Whichford, Mr Blyth at Coleshill, Mr Clarke at Houghton Conquest 1749

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 14 Novr 1749.
Prest

Dr Stebbing, Dr Wilson, Mr Jenkin
Mr Parfect, Mr Bourdillon, Col Hatson,
Mr Dobree

Dr Wilson in ye Chair in ye absence of Mr Edwards.

1 Order'd that ye Thanks of this Society be sent to ye Govrs of ye County Infirmary at Northampton, for their Present of Six Copies of their last Anniversary Sermon & for ye like Number of their Annl Accts.

2 It is order'd likewise that ye Society's Thanks be given to the Revd Mr White of Nayland

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for six Copies of a Tract, entitled the Protestant Dissenter guided to ye Church of England &c.

Letters were read from Mr Denne at Woolhampton 9 Novr, Dr Denne at Rochester, Mr Shaw at Polesworth, Mr Baldwyn at Manchest Mr Willie at Virginia 29 Aug. 1749

Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 21st Novr 1749

Prest

Mr Stehelin, Dr Bearcroft, Col Hudson, Mr Edwards, Mr Vernon Mr Sydenham, Mr Bromsal, Mr Venn Dr Robinson

Mr Edwards in ye Chair

1. The Secy reported that he had

G D. rec'd & carried to Mr Dennes Account ye

Sundries 1..11..6 undermention'd Benefactions to ye Genl Designs

viz. The Revd Mr Thos Lloyd Vicar Choral of Bangor — 1..1..

Revd. Mr. Blyth of Coleshill Warwicks. 10.0

Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors

2 It having been taken Notice of at ye Board that some Members had of late applied to ye Society for very large Parcels amounting to considerable Sums:

3 It is agreed by the Comee to take ye Opinion of ye Society upon this matter, & referr it to their Consideration, whether every Member should not be limitted to a particular Sum for ye Year

4 Order'd that a special Summons be sent to ye Members for that purpose

5. Letters were read from Mr. Gibson at London, Mr. Negus at Rotherhith, Mr. Marchant at Esburton, Mr. Potter at Collingham Dr. Hartley at Bath, Mr. C. Peploe at Manchester Mr. Bowyer at Stoke House, Mr. Gregory at Ashwell 1749.

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Tuesday 28th Novr 174

Prest

Mr Bourdillon, Mr Berriman
Mr Beutjenter, Sir Wm Brown, Mr Edwar
Mr Norvell, Dr Robinson, Col. Hudson
Mr Chydenham, Mr Dobree, Mr Ferrett
Mr Zugenhagen

Mr Edwards in ye Chair.

The Secry laid before ye Board, a List of Debtors, wch by an Order of the Society he had releas'd out of Prison with ye Money alloted by Mrs Read y ye late Dugal Campbell Esqr for that charitable purpose amounting in ye whole to ye Sum of £19" 0" 0

	Composition of their Debts Fees and Chamber Rent	Gave them at their Dis
Ludgate	£ s d	
Wm Palmer a Carpenter a Wife & 2 Children	4" "	
Marshalsea		
Edwd Holt a Writing Master a Wife	" 15 "	5 "
Henry Knott a Barber a Wife & 2 Children	" 12 " 10	2 . 6
Carr forward	£ 5 " 7 . 10	£ 0 . 7 .

	£ s d	£ s d
Brot Over	5.7.10	0.7.6
Thos Lynham, Mariner	.15.	.2.6
Thos Newnham a Shoemaker a Wife & One Child	1.9.6	.2.6
Chr: Rogerson a Weaver 2 Children	1.2.10	—
Mich. J. Bevan a Cabinet Maker a Wife & 2 Children	.9.6	2.10
Thos Watson a Drover	.14.	2.6
Jas. Hodgkinson a Soldier	.14.	2.6
Dennis Martin a Chairman a Wife & 5 Children	.13.	2.6
Thos. Prior a Fisherman	.19.	2.0
Henry Swaine a Carpenter	1.–.8	1.
Jno. York a Taylor Wife & 2 Children	.9.6	2.6
Wm Tyler a Hackney Coachman a Wife & 2 Children	.9.6	2.6

Wood Street Counter

Wm Willis a Printer	2.9.	2.6
Reserv'd for an Object in ye Marshalsea at ye request of Mr Berriman	.15.4	
	17.8.8	£1.11.4

Ordered

That Copies of ye foregoing Report be sent to the Bp of Oxford & Dr. Pelling

Agreed that application be made to the Hon.ble the Court of Dire of the United East India Company, that the Things undermentiond be sent freight free to Fort St Davids in One of ye Compys early Ships: as also for leave for 3 new Missionaries, design'd for Tranqueba to go Board one of ye Company's Ships at their own Charge

A List of Things desir'd to be sent Freight free

Four Cases of Paper & Pasteboards containing

33 Ream of Paper
4 Doz: of Pasteboards
12 Portuguese Test.ts
6 Papers of Ink Powder
6 Penknives 12 Pencils
12 Ivory Combs
400 Quills

6 Bottles of Oyl
12 Spunges
4 Small Brus
12 Pound of Soap
12 ——— of Glew
12 Skins of Parchm
4 Chests of Beer
4 Cheshire Chees

Foreign Silver not exceeding 4000 Ounces

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The Comee being of Opinion that a Tract entitled Directions for ye Devout use

use of the Comn Prayer, might do great Service if translated into French, & Mr Bourdillon kindly offering to make such Translation: the Comee readily accepted of the offer

Letters were read from Mr Croſsman at Sudbury 20 Novr Mr Morgan at Winton 20 Novr Mr Foote at Yaxell, Mr Osborn 1749.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 5 Decemr 1749
Prest

Mr Burroughs, Mr Berriman
Mr Jenkin, Mr Nowell, Mr Moore,
Dr Wilson, Mr Stehelin, Mr Doughty,
Dr Bearcroft, Mr Sydenham Mr Newey,
Mr Dobree, Mr Wright, Sr Wm Brown
Mr Carew, Dr Robinson, Mr Vernon
Col. Hudson.

Mr Carew in ye Chair in ye Absence of Mr Edwards.

1 Mr Berriman according to Rotation was desired to be Chairman for ye present Month

2. A Letter was laid before ye Board from a Person Unknown, desiring ye Society's Acceptance of 25 Copies of the late Bp of London's Pastoral Letters & a like Number of his Ldships Tracts bound together

3 Mr Oliver presented to ye Boar
25 Copies of a Letter to ye Younger Memb
of ye Religious Societys in & about London

4 The Secy reported that pursuant
to an Order of 7th Nov he had waited upon
the A. Bp of Canterbury, wth a List of ye Erro
wch he had discover'd in collating the 8vo Editi
of ye Bible printed by Mr Baskett, & that hi
Grace had order'd him to deliver the said List
to Mr Baskett.

5 Order'd that the Secy do Obey his
Graces Directions in that matter

6 It is unanimously agreed that ye
Motion of 21st relating to ye limitation of
Books, be dismiss'd

7. Order'd that 300 Copies of
the present Impression of Welch Bibles be
reserv'd in ye Society's Stores.

Letters were read from Mr
Pennington 30 Nov. Mr Boswell at Taunt
Mr Rowley at Wentworth, Mrs Talbot at
Cambridge, Mr Blundell at Liverpool
Mr Gibson at London Mr Parfect at
Rochester 1749.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 12 Decemr 1749.
Prest.

Mr Berriman, Mr Edwards, Mr Terrell, Col. Hudson, Sr Wm Browne, Mr Jenkin, Mr Dobree, Mr Bourdillon

Mr Berriman in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & carried to Dr Dennes Acct ye undermentiond Benefactions to the General Designs viz.

G D Sundries 11„0„6	From a Person desiring to be Unknown by hands of the Revd Dr Osborn of Clifton Bedfords.	1„1„—
	Richd Wilson Esqr Recorder of Leeds Yorks.	5„5„—
	Revd Mr Waterhouse Re. of Langley in Kent	1„1„—
	Revd Mr Ault of Arlsey Bedfords	1„1„0
	Thos Ratcliff Esqr of Glocester by hands of the Lord Bp of Glocester	2„12„6

E. I. M.
Mr Ratcliff
2„12„6.

which last mentiond Benefactor has also given the like sum of £2„12„6 towards ye support of ye Protestant Mission in East India

Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 19th Decr 1749

Prest

Mr Berriman, Mr Sydenham,

Mr Berriman in ye Ch

1 Mr Watts laid before ye Board a Letter from the Revd Mr A D. Denne at Rochester, dated 14 Inst relating to the Arrears due to Mr Bentham & Mr Bil on Acct of the late Impreſsion of ye Welch B

2 Agreed that Dr A D. Denne desir'd to clear off all Demands on ye said Ac

3 Agreed likewise that Mr A D. Denne be desir'd to Advance the neceſsa Sums for ye East India Miſsion out of Mrs Palmer's Legacy

4 Agreed also that Mr Hoare be desir'd to pay the Benefactions in his hands to Mr Watts for ye same purpose.

5 The Secry reported that he had rec. & carried to Dr Denne's Acct One Guin being a Benefaction to the General Designs from the Rev Mr Lloyd of Epping in Essex

G D
Mr Loyd 1..1..

6 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 9th Janry & that the Society be summon'd to meet on that Day

7. Order'd that ye Secry do dispatch ye necessary Business of the Society during the Adjournment

Letters were read from Mr Janaway at Tetcott 10 Decr Mr Parry at Shipston 10 Decr Mr Drake at Swinderby 15 Decr Mr Mason at Hull 1749 ----

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Bartlets Buildgs

Tuesday 9th Janry 1749.

Present.

Mr A. D. Denne, Mr Berriman, Mr Gosling, Col. Hudson, Mr Moore, Mr Burroughs, Mr Nowell, Mr Edwards, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Ferrett.

Mr Berriman in ye Chair.

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A. D. Denne, ye undermention'd Benefactions to the General Designs viz

G D Sundries 4.10.

From a Person desiring to be Unknown by hand of Mr Gell of the	1.7
Revd Mr Cawthorne Master of ye Free Grammar School at Tunbridge	1.1

Bro.t Over

Rev.d Mr Lunn of Denton in Kent 1.1.
Rev.d Mr Mason of Hull in Yorks. 1.1.

2 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

3 The Secry laid before ye Board 50 Copies of a Farther Acc.t of the Circulating Welch Charity Schools, from Mich.s 1748, to Mich.s 1749. A present from Sir John Thorold & 25 Brief Acc.t of Prayer & Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, A present from Mr. Chanc. Stebbing

1. Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd for ye Presents

5. Mr Jeffreys according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye present Month

4 Mr A. D. Denne informed ye Society that the Three New Missionaries, design'd for Tranquebar viz. The Rev.d Mess.rs

Vl 3 Frederick Schwartz David Poltzenhagen & George Henry Huttemann had taken their passage on Board ye Lynn Cap.t Commander, & that the Ship being already fallen down ye River, They were thereby hinder'd from waiting upon ye Society in Person, which they hop'd would be excu

7 Mr. A. D. Denne reported farther that he had sent the following Sums to the East Indies for the support of ye Society's Protestant Missions in those parts viz

	£	s	d
For ye Mission at Cuddalore	100	"	"
For the Mission at Madras	100	"	"
And the Revd Mr Ziegenhagen had sent for the use of Both Missions	300	"	"
And likewise, that the Revd Mr Professr Francke had sent to ye Missionaries at Tranquebar	500	"	"

8 Order'd that ye Society's Presents & Stores to be sent as above be Insured

Letters were read from Mr. Wilson at Cocking Mr. Watkins at New Windsor Mr. Southern at Cardington, Mr. Carr at Hemingby Mr. Humfrey at Norwich, Mr. Pages 20 Dec. 1749.

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 16 Jany 1749

Present

Dr Denne, Mr Jenkin, Mr Edwards, Mr Sydenham, Dr Bearcroft

Mr Edwards in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr Forrett

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Dr Denne the following Benefactions to the General Designs, viz.

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From the Revd Mr Lewis Evans of Newton Carmarthenshire } 1.1.–

Rev Mr Wise Vicr of Harlow in Essex } 1.1.–

Sundries 2.12.6

Revd Mr Adams Rector of Wintringham Leicestersr } .10.6

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

Letters were read from Mr Rees at Lanboidy, Mr Shaw at Polesworth, Mr Adams at Salop Mr Ellis at Amlwch Mr Therondel at South Shields 22 Decemr 1749

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 23d Janry 1749

Present

Dr Nicolls, Dr Best, Dr Wilson, Mr Butjenter, Mr Holme, Dr Denne Mr Ferrett, Mr Sydenham, Mr Edward Col Hudson, Sr Wm Brown Mr Lob Dr Robinson

Mr Ferrett in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had rec.
& paid to Mr H. Denne the undermention'd
Benefactions to the General Designs viz

G D
Sundries
4..4..—

	£ s d
From the Revd Mr Humphrey of Norwich at Admission	1..1..0
Revd Mr Southern Vic. of Cardington Salop	1..1..0
A Clergyman near Petworth in Sussex & hands of the Revd Mr Watson	1..1..0
Revd Mr Holme Vic of Rickmansworth Herts	1..1..0

W B
ly Holte
2..2..—

The Secry likewise paid to Mr H. D. Denne two Guineas being a Benefaction to the Welsh Bible from Lady Holte & hands of Mr Wellman

Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

2 The Secry laid before the Board, a Letter written in Latin, from the Revd Mr Professr Francke at Hall in Saxony

3 Order'd that the Secry do translate the said Letter & bring it to the Board

4 Agreed to Adjourn to the 6th Feby Tuesday next being the Anniversary of the Martyrdom of King Charles the first

5 Order'd that the Secrys do dispatch the common Business of the Society during the Adjournment

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 6th Febry 1749

Presᵗ.

Dr Denne, Dr Wilson, Mr A D. Smalebroke
Mr Moore, Mr Ziegenhagen, Mr Bourdillo
Mr Torkington, Bp of Worcester Dr
Bearcroft, Mr Edwards, Sir Wm Brown
Mr Sydenham, Mr Dobree, Mr Wright
Col. Hudson

Bishop of Worcester
in the Chair

1 The Secry according to Order, laid before the Board, the Translation of a Latin Letter from the Revd Mr Professr Franke at Hall in Saxony dated 16th Janry 1750.

2 Order'd that the Secry do prepare a most affectionate & respectful Answer to the said Letter & lay it before ye Comee

3 A Latin Letter was likewise read from the three New Missionaries at Deal in their passage to Tranquebar dated 15 Janry wherein they express their Thanks for the favours they receiv'd from ye Society whilst in London

4 The Lord Bp of Worcester invested in the Society all his right to the present Impression & all future right to the Original Copy of a Book, entitled A Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn Papist, being a full Answer Paragraph by Paragraph to a Paper industriously dispers'd, call'd A Roman Catholicks Reasons why he cannot Conform to the Protestant Religion.

5 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be given to the Bp of Worcester for his Lordships favour herein

6 Mr A.D. Smallbroke according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the present Month.

7 The Revd Dr Head A.D. of Canterbury, & the Revd Mr Norman Mead Prebendary of Lincoln being severally recōmed by Dr Wilson & Dr Nicoll were chosen Subscribing Members of this Society

8. Order'd that the Sec^{ry} do Acquaint the above nam'd Gent^{m} wth such Choice

9. Mr Sydenham having communicated to ye Society the following Resolution of the Trustees of ye Charity Schools made at their General Meeting 1 Feby 1749.

Agreed

10 Agreed that the Thanks of the Trustees of the Charity Schools be return'd to ye Society for Promoting Xtia Knowlege for ye Encouragement they hav at all times given to ye Charity Schools, & for ye many good Offices they have done the & that they shou'd tk it an Additional favour, if they would be so kind as to provide the Anniversary Preacher for the future

11 Order'd that a respectful Answer be given to the Trustees of the Charity Schoo & that they be made Acquainted that the Society will take ye matter referr'd to them into their Care, & will always use their bes endeavours to maintain ye most perfect Harmony & Friendship wth the Trustees of the Charity Schools

12 Agreed that Humphrey Sydenham Esqr. Thos. Carew Esq & Dr Robinson be desir'd in the Name of the Society to communica the foregoing Resolution to ye Trustees of the Charity Schools at their next Meeting

13 Letters were read from Mr Vaughan at Leominster 30 Janry Mr Castleman at Bristol 22 Janry Mr Talbot at Cambridge 14 Janry, Mr Morant at Colchester 2 Feb Sr Jno Thorold at Cranwell, Mr Hyde at Heath Janry 7 Mr Allen at Kettering 17

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 13th Febry 1749

Present

Mr A D Smallbroke, Mr A D Yardley
Mr A D Denne, Mr Parfect, Mr Stehelin
Mr Ridley Mr Ziegenhagen, Dr Wilson,
Col. Hebson, Mr Sydenham, Mr Ravaud,
Dr Robinson

Mr A D Smallbroke in ye Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid ye following Benefactions to Mr A D Denne viz.t

To the General Designs

	£	s	d
From the Revd Dr Leigh of Dorchester	1.	1.	0
Revd Mr Thos Williams Vicar of St Johns in Brecon	2..	2..	—
Revd Mr Bracegirdle Rectr of Taplow in Bucks	1..	1..	—
Revd Mr Chappelow, Professr of Arabick in the University of Cambridge	1..	1..	

G D. & Sundries 5..5..—

2 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors.

3. Agreed that a special Meeting of the Society be summon'd against Tuesday, to consider about Subscribing the New Joint Stock of the Society's [illegible] S. Sea Annuities pursuant to a Resolution of ye Honble House of Commons of 29 Nov 1749

Bartlets Buildin

Tuesday 20th Febry 174

Presst

Mr A D Denne, Mr A D Smallb
Mr A D Yardley, Dr Bearcroft, Mr
Berriman, Mr Sand, Mr Parfect
Mr Ridley, Mr Church, Mr Bree,
Dr Wilson, Dr Nicolls, Mr A D Head,
Mr Jenkin, Mr Gray, Mr Gosling, Mr
Sydenham, Mr Venn, Mr Ferrett
Col. Hudson, Dr Robinson Mr Wright
Mr Vernon, Mr Ravaud, Mr Dobree,

Mr A D Smallbroke
in the Chair

The Secry reported that he had recd & paid the undermention'd Benefac to Mr A D Denne, viz.

To the General Designs

G
Sundries
5.15.6

From the Revd Mr Baynes Red of Stonehame Aspal Suffolk } 1.1
Revd Mr Hildesley Vic. of Hitchin Herts 1.1
Ditto for a Person desiring to be Unknown 1.1
Revd Mr Normans Mead, Preby of Lincoln at Admission } 1.1

Mr. Alderman Drake of Lincoln 1.1.–
Revd. Mr. Dalton of St. Veale Rotting: 10.6

Dr. Bearcroft paid also to Dr. Denne Three Guineas from a Person Unknown remitted by the Revd. Mr. Taylor of Clifton near Bristol & One Guinea from the Revd. Dr. Troughear, Vicar of Carisbrooke in the Isle of Wight.

Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Benefactors.

2 A Letter was read from Mr. Bentham Printer to the University of Cambridge dated 14th Inst. wth a Bill of Expences for Packing up the Impression of 15000 Welch Bibles, sent to London, for ye Society's use amount to 9.14.10

3 Agreed that Mr. A D Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bill

4 It is further agreed that a Gratuity of Five Guineas be given to Mr. Bentham for his extraordinary care & Trouble in this Matter

5 The Society taking the Minute of the 13th Inst. relating to the Subscription of their Annuities, under Consideration, came to the following Resolution viz. That Mr. A D Denne be desir'd to Subscribe the New Joint Stock of ye Society's S. Sea Annuities standing in his Name, on the Terms propos'd by the Hble House of Commons of 29 Novr. 1749

Dr Head 1.1.– Mr A.D. Head giving his Company at ye Board Subscribed to promot the Society's Designs, & paid a Guinea to Mr A.D. Denne as his Benefaction at Admission, for wch the Society gave him thei Thanks.

Letters were read from, Mr Hatfield at Lilley 17 Feby, Mr Owen at Broadwell, 12 Feby Mr Humpfey at Norwich 15 Feby, Mr Ellis at Holyhead 15 Feby, Mr Welles at Prestbury 17 Feby 174

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 27 Feby 1749.

Presst

Mr A.D. Yardley, Mr Jenkin, Dr Denn Mr Vernon, Mr Sydenham, Col Hudson Sir Wm Brown.

Mr Vernon in ye Chair in ye absence of Mr A.D. Smallbroke

1 The Secry reported that he had paid

Mr Andrews 6.. 4.– to Mr A.D. Denne from Mr Edward Andrews One Years Rent of Land in

Romney

Romneye Marsh bequeath'd to the Society by the late Mr Belke

One Years Rent			9.–.–
Deductions	Land Tax	1.4.–	
	Scotts	1.1.8	
	Quitt Rent	..10.4.	2.16.–
		Ballance £	6.4.–

Letters were read from Mr Jones at Alconbury 24 Feby. Mr Parker at Great Rollright 26 Feby, Mr Bluett at Hulcombe 24 Feby. Mr Stanley at Bury 23 Feby Mr Jones at Landovery 21 Feby 1749.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 6 March 1749.
Prest.

Bp of Glocester, Mr A.D. Denne Dr Bearcroft, Mr Ferrett, Mr Parfect, Mr Bourdillon, Dr Wilson, Mr Edward, Sr Wm Brown, Dr Robinson, Mr Sydenha Col Hudson

Lord Bp of Glocester in the Chair

1

G D

Sundries

24..10..6.

The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A. D. Denne ye following Benefactions to the General Designs viz

From a Person Unknown p hands of the Revd Mr Cheney Lecturer of St Margarets Pattens	1.1.
Revd Mr Parry Recd of Shipston upon Stower Worcestershire	1.1.
Lady Palmer	1..1..–
Mrs Esther Palmer	..10..6
Two Ladies desiring to be Unknown	1..1..—
Lady Viscountess Cullen	1..1..–
Mrs Hardinge	1..1..–
Two Ladies desiring to be Unknown	5..5..—
Two Gentlemen Do	2..2..–
Thos Wilson Esqr	1..1..–
Mrs Carte	1..1..–
Revd Mr Peppin	1..1..–
Mrs Bewicke	3..–..–
A Person desiring to be Unknown	1..1..—
Revd Mr Fenwick who remitted the above Benefactions	2..2..—
	21..7.
Thos Butterworth Bilson Esqr of Rogate p hands of Mr Wilson of Cocking	1..1.
	23..9.
	24..1

Ordered

2 That the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Benefactors

3 Mr Bearcroft laid before ye Board the following Minute made at ye Anniversary Meeting of the Society for ye Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, at Bow Vestry on ye 16 Febry 1749

4 " Agreed that £ 50.. be laid out
" in purchasing French Bibles, & other
" proper Books to be sent to the Colony of
" Nova Scotia, & that the Society for Promoting
" Christian Knowledge be desired to join wth
" this Society in that Affair"

5 The Society taking the foregoing Minute into Consideration came to this Resolution viz

6 That they will be ready to join wth the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts in all good Offices particularly in sending over to Nova Scotia French Bibles & other Religious Books &c on this & every proper Occasion

7. G D Unknown £10.10.. Col Hudson paid to Mr A. D. Denne Ten Guineas being a Benefaction to the Genl Designs of the Society from a Person desiring to be Unknown through the hands of the Worshipful the Dean of the Arches

8 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be given for their Benefaction

Letters were read from Mr Long at Tinmere 1st March, Mr Hawkins at Higham Gobion, Bp of Oxford at Westmr. Mr Williams at Aberamlaes, Mr Byrch at Dover 27 Febry 1749

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 13 March 1749

Prest

Bp of Worcester, Dr Denne, Dr Nicolls
Mr Norvell, Mr Gosling, Mr Sydenham
Sr Wm Brown, Col Hudson

Lord Bp of Worcester in the Chair

1 Agreed that Mr A.D. Denne be desired to wait upon the Bishops & in the Name of the Society & of the Trustees of the Charity Schools, request the favour of a Sermon from One or other of their Ldships, at the next Yearly

Meeti

Meeting of the Children Educated in the Charity Schools, in & about the Cities of London & Westminster

Letters were read from Dr Salwey at Ludlow, 6 March, Mr Harrison at Cirencester 7 March, Mr Howell at Kilhennin Dr Sneyd at Hemmingham 7 March Mr Thomas at Penpis 9 March, Mr Arnold at Burton 7 March, Mr Hough at Clisthydon 10 Mar: 1749.

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 20 March 1749
Prest

Mr A D Denne, Mr Nicholson, Mr White, Dr Nicolls, Mr Cooper, Mr Vernon Mr Edwards, Dr Wilson, Mr Sydenham, Mr Ravaud, Col: Hudson,

Mr Sydenham in ye Chair

1 Mr Vernon, reported that the Trustees for Georgia will undertake to supply the deficiency wch the reduction of Publick Interest will make in the Sallaries of the Saltzburgh Ministers & Catechists till such time as the Trustees can Assign them Lands in Georgia for their Maintenance

2. Dr Nicolls presented to ye Board from the Bp of London 12 Copies of His

His Ldships Letter to the Clergy & People of London & Westmr. on Occasion of the late Earthquake:

Agreed that Nicolls be desired to give the Society's Thanks to his Ldship for the Present.

3 The Secry reported that he had recd. & paid to Mr A. D. Denne the undermention'd Benefactions to the General Designs, viz.

G D

Sundries 7..17..6

Revd

From The Revd Mr Rich. Berrow Red. of Northill Bedfords.	1..1..-
Mr Robt. Peirson of Cripplegate	1..1..-
Rev Mr Gibson of Biggleswade Bedfords.	..10..6
Mr Barter Re. of St Mary Steps in Exeter	1..1..-
Mr Hugh Yard Re. of Ashton Devon.	1..1..-
Mr Hatfield at Lilley Herts	1..1..-
Mr Cox of Kibworth in Leicestr by Calverley Bewicke Esq	1..1..-
Revd Mr Gibson Praecentor of St Pauls at Admission	1..1..-
	7..17..6

4 Order'd that ye Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

5. Agreed that 25 Lewis's Catechism be sent to Dr Denne, as a Present out of ye Society's Stores

6 Agreed also that 100 Lewis's Catec
some Spelling Books & other little Tracts be sent
to the Revd Mr Bacon in Maryland as a
Present out of the Stores at ye request of Dr Wilson

D Fishers & Endorsement

Letters were read from Mr Yardley
at Highgate, Mr White at Watford 12 March
Mr Dod at Conington 17 March Mr Forster
at Elton Huntingdonshire 1749.

Bartlett's Buildings
Tuesday 27th March 1750.

Prest

Dr Denne, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Ridley,
Mr Nicholson, Mr Norbell, Mr Sydenham
Mr Edwards, Mr Ravaud, Col Hudson

1 The Secry laid before ye Board
200 Copies of the Lord Bp of London's
Letter on Occasion of the late Earthquakes
being a Present from an Unknown hand: a
also 25 Copies of two Sermons preach'd to
a Congregation of Black Slaves in Maryland
& ye like Number of Sermons preach'd to
their Masters & Mistresses, by the Revd Mr Baco
Rect of St Peters in that Province: being a Presen
from Dr Wilson

2. Order'd that Thanks be returned
for the Presents

3 Dr Bearcroft Acquainting ye Com
that ye Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts had come to a Resolution at their last Meeting to send 500 English Bibles to Nova Scotia:

4 Agreed that this Society will concurr with ye other Society in so good a Work by being at Half the Expence

5 A Letter being read from The Revd Mr Gregory at Ashwell in Ruttlandsr wherein he informs ye Society that he had according to their Directions sent up Dr Evans's Library an Account whereof is given in ye Minutes of 3d October 1749.

6 Ordered that ye Thanks of ye Society be given to Mr Gregory for his Care & Trouble on this Occasion, & that a present be made him of religious Books & Tracts to ye Amount of 40 Shillings

7 Mr AD Denne reported that pursuant to ye Society's Request of ye 13th past he had waited upon the Bishops to ask ye favour of a Sermon from one or other of their Ldships at ye next Yearly Meeting of the Charity Children, but that he had faild in his application this Year, by reason that ye Bishops were going out of Town, upon ye early rising of ye Parliament; but that Mr AD. Yardley had been so good to undertake ye kind & Charitable Office.

Tuesday 3d April 1750

Present

Dr Wilson, Mr Berriman, Mr Moore,
Col. Hudson, Mr Dobree, Sr Wm Brown,
Mr Carew, Mr Sydenham, Mr Wright,

Mr Sydenham in ye Chair

1 Dr Wilson according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for ye present Month.

2 The Revd Dr Terrick Residentiary of St Pauls, recommended by Mr A. D. Denne & Col. Hudson; The Revd Dr Barton Canon of Christ Church Oxon recommended by the Bp of Glocester & Mr A D Denne: And The Revd Mr John Peele M. A. Vicar of Tilney in Norfolk recommended by Dr Long were chose Subscribing Members of this Society.

3 And The Revd Mr Pinauld Vicar of Llanelly, Carmarthenshire propd by Mr A D Denne, And the Revd Mr Ogilvy Missionary to the Mohock Indians, proposid by Dr Bearcroft were chose Corresponding Members.

4 Order'd that ye Secrys do Acquaint the above nam'd Gentlemen wth such Choice.

5. The two following Pieces viz. A Letter from the Lord Bp of London, to ye Clergy &

People

People of London occasion'd by the lat
Earthquakes:

Vly. An Exhortation to Chastity: chie
taken from a Treatise entitl'd Directions
& Prayers for ye use of ye Patients in the
Foul Wards of St. Thomas's Hospital.
having been recommended by three Subsc.
Members as Tracts fit & requisite to promo
the Designs of the Society & afterwards referr'd
to the perusal of Four Members & approv'd
were admitted upon ye Catalogue by Ballot

6 Agreed when any Book or Tract
in ye Society's List is out of Print & it be
judg'd necessary to make any Alterations
or Amendments therein that ye said Boo
or Tract be referr'd to ye perusal of Four
Members, to be revis'd, corrected & approv'd
in like manner, as other Books & Tracts
are, before they are admitted upon ye Catalogue

7 Agreed that Monday ye 30 Inst.
be ye Day fix'd for Auditing ye Society's Accts.
& that proper Notice be given to ye Treasr. & Audit

8 Agreed that Dr Wilson, Dr Jenner,
Dr Nicolls, Mr Berriman, Mr Carew,
Col Hudson, Mr Bewicke, Mr Wright,
Mr Townsend, Mr Thornton, Mr Jenkin
Mr Moore, Sr Wm Brown, & Mr Terrell

or

or any three of them be a Committee for Auditing ye Accounts of the Society

Letters were read from Mr Doughty at Wispington 12 March Mr Carpenter at Skeldon, 19 Mar: Mr Blundell, & Mr Havard at Carmarthen 19 Mar: Mr Waterhouse at Langley 22d Mar: 1749.

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 10 April 1750.
Prest.

Dr Wilson, Dr Nicolls, Mr A D Yardley
Mr Hetherington, Mr Ferrett, Dr Robinson
Mr Sydenham

Dr Wilson in the Chair

The Secry reporting from Mr Dod that the three following Tracts viz. The Duty of Paying Custom, An Earnest & Affectionate Address to the People called Methodists, & Dr Tillotsons Letter to Mr Hunt of Canterbury were out of Print, & the Comee being of Opinion that no Alterations or Amendments were wanting therein

Agreed that Mr Dod have leave to print the said Tracts.

The Secry further reported that he had receiv'd £10 .. for ye Release of poor confin'd Debtors being ye charitable Gift of Mrs Read, by the hands of The Lord Bishop of Oxford.

4 Agreed that ye Secry do keep ye said Sum in his hands, till further Orders

5. Agreed that the Thanks of ye Socie be sent to the Trustees for Georgia for their Present of 12 Copies of a Sermon preach'd at their Anniversary Meeting 16 Mar: 1749-50 by the Revd Mr Francklin

6. Agreed that Directions be given for Building ye Scaffold at Christ-Church wth all ye Accommodations usual on such Occasi and that Dr Robinson & Mr Watts be desir'd to give Orders about it.

7. Agreed that 5000 Hymns be printed for ye use of ye Charity Children.

8 Agreed that 200 Questions and Answers concerning the Protestant & Popish Faith (in French) be sent out of the Socty's Stores along with ye 500 English Bibles design for Nova Scotia

9 Letters were read from Mr Fenwick at Hallaton 31 Mar: Mr Gurdon at Bures 20 March, Mr Blundell at Leverpoole 3d Apl Mr Monoux at Sandy 7 April Mr Howell at Kilkenn 14 Mar: Mr Cotton at Etwall 4 Apl Mr Handl at Burton 1750

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 24 April 1750.
Prest.

Sir Wm Brown, Col. Hudson, Mr Bailey
Mr Moore, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Ravaud

Sir Wm Brown in ye Chair in the Absence of Dr Wilson

1. The Secry reported that he had receivd & paid to Mr L + D Denne, the following Benefactions to the General Designs viz.

From the Revd Mr Welles of Prestbury	1„1„0
Revd Mr Baker Rec. of Kirkby Camp	„10„6
Mrs Catmur in Fore Street	1„1„0
Revd Dr Barton Canon of Christ Church Oxon at Admission	1„1„0
Revd Mr Peele Vicar of Tilney Norfolk Do	1„1„0
Revd Mr Ashcroft at Mepsal Bedfords.	1„1„0
Mr Bar. Wimberly by hands of the Revd Mr Stead of Reigate	1„1„0
Mr J. H. by Mr Broughton	2„2„0
Revd Mr F. Huyshe R. of Clisthydon	1„1„0
Ditto being ye remainder of a Sum of Money bequeath'd to religious uses by the late Revd Mr Burroughs of Gillisham once a Worthy Corresponding Member	80„8„
Ditto from a Society of Clergymen	1„1„0
Revd Mr Parker Rec. of Great Rollright Oxon	1„1„0
Car Over £	92„9„

Brot Over £	92.9.6
Henry Salwey of Elton Salop Esqr	1.1.–
A Gentleman desiring to be Unknown by DD	5.–.–
Robt North of Scarboro Esqr by hands of His Grace ye ABp of York	2.2.–
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unkn by hands of the Revd Dr Hales	5.5.–

2. Order'd that ye Thanks of ye Society be sent to ye Benefactors

3 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Perronet of Shoreham, desiring ye Society's Acceptance of 12 Copies of his Earnest Exhortat to ye strict practice of Christianity

4. Mr Dod being call'd in & ask'd upon what Terms he would supply the Bp of London's Letter upon ye late Earthquakes? did agree to furnish ye Board wth ye said Letter Pica Types at 3/4 Single or 5 ye hundred

5 The Secry reported that the Bp of Worcester had order'd him to present his respe to the Gentlemen of ye Comee & Acquaint them that his Ldship is very sorry he can't be at ye Board this Morning as he intended & that he desires their acceptance of 25 of his Sermon & Preface lately published

6. Order'd that the Thanks of ye Soci be given to ye Bp of Worcester for his Present

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 1st May 1750.

Presst

Mr.
Mr. A.D. Denne Mr Bourdillon
Mr. A.D. Yardley Mr Warcopp Mr Wilson
Mr Gosling Mr Bromsall Col Hudson.

Mr A.D. Denne in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Dr Wilson

Col. Hudson reported that Mr Moore Mr Wright, Mr Ferrett & himself had attended as a Comee for Auditing the Treasurers Accounts wth the Society, on Monday last, & that ye same being Abstracted consisted of ye following Articles

On Account of the Society's Designs in General.

Receipts by Mr A.D. Denne casual Benefactions including the Ballance of £430.17.10¼ due last Audit	1160.18.– 430.18 730.0.0	
Payments by Ditto	969.6.7	
Ballance due to the Society in the hands of Mr A.D. Denne		190.15.1

On Account of Mrs Palmers Legacy of £4000.–.–

Receipts by Mr A.D. Denne	295.4.1
Payments by Ditto	295.4.1
Carried over	£ 190.15.–

Bro^{t}. Over £19

On Account of ye East India Mission

Rec^{d}. by the late Benjn. Hoare Esqr. Casual Benefactions including 1.1.– due last Audit	9.16.6
Payments by Ditto	9.16.6

On Account of the Arabick Impression

Rec^{d}. as p^{r} Ballance of ye last Years Acc^{t}. by M^{r} A D Denne	36.13.4½
Payments by Ditto	2.17.6½
Ballance in ye hands of M^{r} A D Denne	33.15.1
Receipts by Mr Gosling including ye Ball^{a}. of £538.7.1½ due last Audit	1008.16.7½ 538.7.1 470.9.6
Payments by Ditto	396.13.–
Ballance due to ye Society in the hands of Mr Gosling	612.3.7
Total of Ballances due to the Society	836.14.
Arrears of Subscrib^{s}. of Members due last Audit	366.7.
£	1203.2.

2 Agreed that the Thanks of th
Society be given to the Comee of Receipts
& Payments, for their Care in keeping the
Accounts of ye Society, & to the Committee for
Auditing them.

3 Mr Gosling according to Rotation
was desired to be Chairman for ye Present Mont

4 The Revd Mr Wilson of Cocking in
Sussex reported that he had receiv'd a Guinea
from a Clergyman in his Neighbourhood, as a
Benefaction to ye East India Mission, wch was
paid to the Secretary. & Mr Wilson was desired
to give the Society's Thanks to ye Benefactor.

E. I. M.
Unknown
1..1..

5 Agreed that Tuesday ye 29 Inst.
be appointed for the Anniversary Meeting
of the Society to Dine together at the Crown
& Anchor Tavern in ye Strand

6 Agreed that a Dinner be provided
for 30 Guests at 2..6 a Head

7 Agreed that an Abstract of the
Proceedings of ye Society for the last Year, ending
at the Audit 30 April 1750, be prepared by ye
Secry in Order to its being read at the Anniversa
ry Meeting

Letters were read from Mr Bethell
at Onsden, Mr Gregory at Ashwell, Mr Vaughan at
Landyrnog, Mr Pinauld at Llanelly, Mr Jones at Mont
Mr Bluett at Nutcombe, Mr White at Stratford Mr Jones
at Landovror, Dr Bettesworth at Westminster 1750

Bartlets Buildi

Tuesday 8 May 1750

Prest

Mr Bromsall, Mr Ferrett, Mr Carew
Dr Robinson, Col Hudson,

Mr Carew in ye Chair in ye absence of Mr Gosling

1 Mr Ferrett reported that last Thurs The Rev Mr A. D. Yardley preach'd at Christ Church, before the Trustees of ye Charity Schools in & about ye Cities of London & Westm at ye Anniversary Meeting from Acts 20.35 latter part of ye Verse "Ye ought to support the "Weak & to remember ye Words of the Lord Jesus "how he said it is more blessed to give than "to receive"

2 Agreed that ye Thanks of the be given to Mr A. D. Yardley for his Sermon on that Occasion, & that he be desired to furn the Society wth a Copy of it in Order to its being Printed.

3 Agreed that when ye said Sermon is sent to ye Society, that 1500 Copies be Printed wth as many Copies of ye Account of ye Society annex'd to ye Sermon as usual.

4 Agreed that ye Account of ye Society's Proceedings be referred to ye Perusal of Mr

Mr A. D. Denne in Order to its being pre-
for the Preſs.

5 Mr Caren reported that the Stewards and Trustees of the Charity Schools return'd their Thanks to the Society for their many good Offices to the Charity Schools, & for their readineſs in under-taking to provide a Preacher for the Anniversary Sermon for ye future.

6 A Bill of Expences at the Anniversary Meeting of the Charity Children was laid before the Comee consisting of ye following Articles viz.

To ye Servants of ye Church	1..1..—
Six Porters	..15..—
Four Bottles of Wine	..9..4
Clerks attendance	..5..—
Porter at ye Back door	..2..6
Mr Thorne for Building the Scaffold	13..13..—
Rolls	..—..6
Mr Reyland for teaching ye Children ye Sing ye Hymn	3..3..—
	19..9..4

7 Agreed that Mr A. D. Denne be desir'd to pay the said Bill

8 Mr Watts reported that he had receiv'd from Meſsrs Hoare & Co a Benefaction of £20 to the General Designs from the Right Honble the Lord Digby

G D
Ld Digby
20..—..—

9 Order'd that the Thanks of ye Society be return'd to his Ldships for ye same

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 15 May 1750.
Pres.t

Mr A D. Denne, Mr A D. Yardley
Mr Moore, Mr Baily, Mr Albinus,
Mr Bourdillon, Mr Zouch Mr Ga
Mr Bromsall, Mr Ferrett.
Mr Ravaud.

1 Letters were read from The Rev.d Mr Kiernander ye Society's Miſsionary at Cudulore, & from the Rev.d Mr Swinſen a Correspondent at Fort St Davids bearing date in October last.

2 Agreed that the said Letters be referr'd to ye East India Comittee

3 Agreed that 300 Copies of a Tract entitl'd a Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn Papist be sent as a Present to the Rev.d Mr Lloyd at Ryton near Newcastle upon Thyne in whose Parish there are a great Number of Papists.

4
E I M
Mr Devers 4..4..— The Secry reported that he had receiv'd 4 Guineas as a Benefaction to the East India Miſsion from Mr De Vers of Eton

5 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactor.

6 Upon reconsidering ye Minute of the 7th Inst relating to the time & place of the Society's Dining together:

7 Agreed that Dr Robinson Mr Ravaud & Mr Watts be desir'd to provide a proper Place for ye Society to dine in, & bespeak a Dinner

8 Agreed that a Comittee for the Welch Bible be summon'd to meet on Tuesday next, & that in ye mean time ye Secry do give Notice to some of ye great Stationers to bring in their Proposals & Specimens of Paper for Printing a New Impression of Welch Bibles, & that they be directed to send in two Sheets of English Printing Paper seal'd up, wth ye Name & Price upon one of the Sheets.

9 Agreed that 2 Arabic Testamts be given to Mr Bourdillon, for the Revd Mr Professr Shultens at Leyden

10 A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia dated 28 Dec. 1749. giving an Acct of the present State, Spiritual as well as temporal of ye Saltzburghers.

11 Letters were read from, Mr Daubuz at Rockt Mr Parry at Shipston, Sr Jno Thorold at Cranwell, Mr Blunde at Liverpoole, Mr Wadsworth at Hon, Mr Weller at Maidstone Mr Thomas at Penpio, Mr Parker at Great Rollright 1750

Bartlets Build.gs
Tuesday 22. May 1750
Present

Dr Nicolls, Mr Butjenter, Mr Parfect
Mr Moore, Col Hudson, Dr Robinson
Mr Ferrett, Mr Ravaud, Sr Wm Brown,

Dr Nicolls in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Gosling

1 Mr Watts reported that he had receiv'd of Dr Denne, Five Guineas for the use of ye East India Mission being the Benefaction of Gabriel Hanger Esqr through the hands of the Lord Bp of Glocester

E. I. M
Mr Hanger
5..5..—

Order'd that ye Societys Thanks be sent to ye Benefactor.

2 Letters were read from Mr Pruitt at Winton Mr Edwards at Aberyswith Mr Woods at Wilford Mr Carpenter at Sheldon 12 May, Mr Howell at Kilkennin 8 May Mr Weller at Maidstone 2d May Mr Adams at Salop, 19 May, Mr Tucker at Bristol 17 May, Mr Sewell at White Haven, 1750

Bartlets Build

Tuesday 29 May 1750

Prest

At a General Meeting of the Society

Mr A.D. Denne, Dr Nicolls, Mr Moore, Dr Church, Sr Wm Wentworth, Mr Gosling, Col. Hudson, Mr Wright Dr Robinson.

Mr Gosling in the Chair

1 The Secry reported that he had recd & paid to Mr A.D. Denne the undermentiond Benefactions to ye General Designs, viz

G D Sundries 6.16.6.

From the Revd Dr Terrick Residentiary of St Pauls at Admn	1.1.0
Revd Dr Regis of Adisham in Kent	.10.6
Robt Denison of Leeds Esqr	1.1.0
Revd Mr Jno Jones Rect of Boulnhurst in Bedfordso	1.1.0
Revd Mr Monoux Rect of Sandy Do	1.1.0
Revd Mr Edwd Pemberton Vicar of Belchampt St Pauls Essex at Ad:	1.1.0

2 Dr Nicolls paid into ye same hands a Guinea being a Benefaction to the Genl Designs from the Revd Mr Wilson Senr Fellow of Trinity College Cambridge

3 Ordered that the Thanks of ye Society be sent to the Benefactors.

4 Dr Church according to Rotation was
desir'd to be Chairman for ye Month ensuing

5 The Revd Mr Edw. Pemberton M A Vi
of Belchamp St Pauls in Essex recommended
by the Bp of Bristol & Dr Hartley; The Re
Mr Reepe M.A. Fellow of Kings Coll. Cambri
recommended by Mr Berriman: & the Re
Mr Jno Lloyd M A Rectr of Ryton in the
County of Durham, recommended by the
Bp of Glocester were chose Subscribing Memb
of this Society

6 And the Revd Mr Philip Birt M A
Rect. of Blunham & Vicar of Flitton cum Silsoe
in Bedfords.o recommended by Dr Osborn
was chose a Corresponding Member.

7 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint
ye abovemention'd Gentlemen wth such Choice

8 Order'd that Mr Wm Watts do take
out a particular Administration to Henry Hastin
Esqr decd, late one of the Treasurers to ye Society
to Transfer the £110"-"- Bank Stock, &
295"5"11 New South Sea Annuities wch are in
his Name, together wth Dr John Denne &
Benjn Hoare Esqr wch said Sums are the
Property of the Society, & he is hereby Authorised
to apply for ye said Administration to be
granted to him for those particular Sums for
the use of ye said Society

9 Order'd that the Thanks of this Society be given to ye Incorporated Society for the Propagation of ye Gospel in Foreign Parts for 100 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before them at their Anniversary Meeting 16 Febry 1749 by the Lord Bp of St Davids

10 The Directions for a Devout & decent Behaviour in ye Publick worship of God. A Tract in ye Society's Catalogue, but at present out of Print, having been referr'd to the perusal of 4 Members, & by them revis'd corrected, & approv'd:

11 Agreed that Mr Dod may reprint the said Tract, & that it be dispers'd as before.

12. Mr Watts informing the Board, that he had mett with one Mr Gordon, who seem'd inclin'd to purchase ye Society's Chambers in ye Temple.

13. Agreed that Mr Treasr Gosling & Mr Watts be empowr'd to dispose of the said Chambers on ye best Terms they can make.

14 Agreed that an Abstract of ye Proceed=ings of ye last Year, be read this Day at the Anniversary Meeting

15 Agreed to Adjourn afterwards to Tuesday 12 June & that ye Society be summon'd to meet on that Day.

16 Order'd that ye Secry do dispatch ye comon Business of ye Society during ye Adjournment.

Letters were read from Mr Long at Finmere 26 May. Mr Barton at Great Brickhill Bp of Oxford at Westmr 23 May. Mr Sewell at Whitehaven 13 May. Dr Wilson at Tunbridge 23d May, Mr Master at Croston 22d May, Mr Vaughan at Leominster 23 May 1750

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 12th June 1750

Presnt

Dr Church, Mr A D. Denne. Mr A D. Yardley, Mr Canham. Col. Huds
Dr Robinson

Dr Church in the Chair

1 The Society had their Anniversary Meeting & din'd together on Tuesday 29 May, at the Mitre Tavern in Fleetstreet, at wch time an Abstract of their Proceedings during the last Year, was laid before them, & their Thanks given to the Treasurers for their many good Offices to the Society.

The Secry reported that ye Dinner at ye Mitre came to	6. 6. –
Advanc'd by the Members being 22 in No at 2. 6 p Head	2. 15
Exceedings of ye half Crowns	3. 11

2 Agreed that Mr W D Denne be desir'd to pay the Exceedings

3 The Secry further reported that the Collection after Dinner for charitable uses under ye direction of the Society amounting to £5.. 14.. 0, & that he had recd since of Mr Townsend who could not give his Company, ½ a Guinea to be added to the above Sum wch makes in the whole 6.. 4.. 6

4 Agreed that ye undermention'd Objects be reliev'd wth ye Money collected at ye Anniversy Meeting in ye following Proportions viz

	s	d
Chas: Clarke recommended by Col Hudson	7..	6
Jos: Abodio by the late Dr Pelling	7..	6
Wido Chadwick by Sr J Thorold	2..	6
Wido Paris by Dr Denne	8..	—
Wido Nutkens by Ditto	7..	6
Wido Bell by the Society	10..	6
Wido Lyde by Mr Ziegenhagen	7..	6
Wido Gibson by Sr Jno Thorold	5..	
Wido Williams by Mr Clendon	7..	
Wido Worlidge by Mr Berriman	7..	6
Mrs Musgrave by Ditto	7..	6
Wido Huddleston by Mr Broughton	7..	6
Ja: Ottolenghe by Ditto	7..	6
Sarah Bennett by Mr Stockwell	5..	
Wido Stamford by Dr Robinson	5..	
Wido Johnson by Mr Watts	7..	6
Carrd forward £ 5..	10	

Brought Over 5,,10,,6

Wid^o Mead by Mr A D Yardley	,,2,,6
Wid^o Lowe by Dr Denne	,,7,,6
Wid^o Bough by Mr Ziegenhagen	,,4,,
£	6,,4,,6

5 Mr Johnson brought Specimens of Paper for Printing the Anniversary Sermon, & agreed to furnish a sort at 10,,6 p Ream.

6 A Letter was read from Mr Richd Marchant at Edburton in Sussex dated 2d June signifying that he had remitted to the Secry the following Benefactions to the East India Mission viz

E. I. M.

Sundries 3,,14,,6

from Mr Jno Haite of Betchworth	7,,6
A Gentleman Unknown	10,,6
Mr Ed: Butcher of Betchworth	5,,
Mr Peter Ockley, Mr Cook &c	10,,
Mr Hassell, & Franks &ca	6,,
Mrs Pollard, Mr Goddard &c	1,,15,,
	3,,14,,

7 Agreed that Mr Marchant be desir'd to give the Society's Thanks to the Benefactors.

8 The following Books in the Society's Catalogue, viz 1. The Bp of Ely's

4 Discourses on Death, Judgment, He
& Hell. 2dly The Principles of Religion
prov'd from Scripture & 3dly Instructions
for the Young Christian in Welch & English
having been referr'd to ye perusal of Four
Members, pursuant to an Order of 3d April
last, touching Books out of Print, & by them
revis'd corrected & approved.

9 Agreed that leave be given for reprinting the said Books & dispersing them as before.

10 W B Mr Dunster £3.3.— Mr AD Denne reported that he had receiv'd of Wm Dunstar of Layton Stone Esqr by hands of Sr Joseph Hankey & Co. Three Guineas, being a Benefaction towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles.

11 Mr AD Denne further reported from the Executors of Benjn Hoare Esqr deceas'd that Mr Hoare had bequeath'd to ye Society One hundred Pounds: One Moiety whereof he had given towards the support of the East India Mission, to wch Branch of ye Society's Designs he had been Treasurer, & the other Half to the General Designs.

12 G D Sr Richd Hoare 1.1.0 At the same time Mr AD Denne inform'd the Board, that Sir Richard Hoare had not only subscrib'd to Promote ye Societ Designs, & paid a Guinea into his hands, as his Benefaction at Admission; but had also

signifyed

signify'd a Readiness to serve the Society as
Treasurer for Benefactions to the Protestant
Mission in the East Indies, in ye Room of
Benj Hoare Esqr deceas'd.

13 Agreed that Sr Richd Hoare be
desir'd to Accept ye Office of Treasurer for
that Branch of ye Society's Designs. & that
the Thanks of ye Society be given to him
for his Benefaction.

14 The Secry laid before the Board the
following presents of Books, viz.
25 Copies of a Book entitled The Gift of
the Holy Ghost, to the Apostles & first
Christians, a Demonstration of the Resurrectio
of Jesus. A Present from the Revd Mr Bonye
& 6 Copies of Remarks upon a Treatise,
entitled Free & Candid Disquisitions, a Presen
from the Revd Mr Boswell.

G D
Unknown
3,,3.
15 The Secry likewise reported that he
had received & paid to Mr A D. Denne Three
Guineas being a Benefaction to the General
Designs from a Gentleman at Maidstone who
desires to be Unknown.

16. The Revd Mr Wm Allison Vicar
of Wandsworth in Surrey, having been propos'd
by Dr Church, was chose a Corresponding
Member of this Society. Order'd that the
Secry do inform Mr Allison of such Choice.

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 19th June 1750

Present

Dr Church, Mr A D Denne, Mr Moore
Mr Morgan, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Jenkin,
Mr Bourdillon Dr Robinson Col
Hudson.

Dr Church in the Chair

G D 1 Mr A D Denne reported that he had receiv'd ye following Benefactions to the General Design viz Twenty five Pounds, being the Legacy of the Revd Mr Chalmers late Vicar of Dartford in Kent, & £ 1" 11" 6 from the Revd Mr Barrell Prebendary of Rochester

r Chalmers 25" -" -

r Barrell 1" 11" 6.

2 The Revd Mr Morgan Prebendary of Winchester having mov'd ye Board that a Present of Religious Books & Tracts may be sent to the Revd Mr Nicolls Minister of Holt near Denby, whose Parish is a poor & populous one, & he not in a condition to supply their wants in that respect.

3 Orderd that a Packet of Books & Tracts to ye Amount of £5" -" - be sent to Mr Nicolls & that Mr A D. Denne be desir'd to Advance that Sum out of Mr Belks Charity

4 It is further agreed that an Arabick New Testament be sent as a Present to The Revd Mr Thompson at New Jersey

5 Orderd that 5000 Copie
a Proposal for a New Impression of Bible
in the Welch Language be Printed on a Ha
Sheet, to be sent to the Members along wth the
Anniversary Sermon.

6 Agreed that the Charity Money
appointed for the Release of Poor Debtors
viz £10 being the Gift of Mrs Read by the
Lord Bishop of Oxford, be left in the hands
of the Secretary to be dispos'd of, as Objects
arise, under the Direction of the Committee.

7 Agreed that a New Testament
& Com: Prayer Book be given to the Secry
for a Poor family.

8 Letters were read from Mr
Thompson, at New Jersey in America, Mr
Morgan at Winchester, Dr Denne at
Lambeth.

Bartlets Buildin
Tuesday 26 June 175

Prest

Mr Moore Mr Ravaud

Mr Moore in the Chair
in ye Absence of Dr Churc

GD
Mr Foote
1.1.0

Mr Ravaud reported that the Rev. Mr John Foote Rector of Yoxall in Staff had desired him to subscribe towards carrying on the Designs of ye Society, & to pay a Guinea as a Benefaction at Admission: wch Mr Ravaud Paid to the Secry in ye Absence of Dr A. D. Denne

2 The Secry reported that he had recd & carried to Dr Denne's Account ye undermentioned Benefactions to the General Designs, viz.

GD
Mr Cookson 1.1.–
Two Ladies 4.4.–

From the Revd Mr Cookson Vicar of Leeds	1.1.0
Two Ladies desiring to be Unk: by Saml Torriano Esqr	4.4.0

3 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

4 The following Bills were laid before the Committee, who order'd Mr Watts to pay them in the Absence of Dr Denne.

A Bill from Mr Boggs for making out a particular Administration to the Will of H. Hastings Esqr deceased	7.9.0
Ditto from Mr Camp for binding Books for the Stores	5.17.4
Ditto from Mr Oliver for the Rent of a Warehouse for ye Society's Books & Papers	2.10.0
£	15.16

Letters were read from Mr Thomp
at New Jersey, Mr Barton at Great
Buckhill, Mr Crosman at Sudbury
23 June 1750

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 3d July 1750.

Prest

Mr Moore, Col Hudson

Col Hudson in the Chair in
the Absence of Dr Church.

1 The Orders of the Society requir
that nothing shall be concluded on, at a
Monthly Meeting till four of ye Subscrib
Members are present, & that Number
not attending, the Members present acti
as a Committee & order'd an Extraordin
Meeting of the Society to be called again
Tuesday next

2. Letters were read from Mr Ingram
at Whichford 30 June, Mr Ridley at
Rumford 30 June, Mr Bethell at
Ousden 29 June 1750

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 10 July 1750

Pres^t

Mr Moore, Mr Jenkin

Mr Jenkin in the Chair in the Absence of Dr Church

1 The Secr^y laid before the Board the following Extract from the Prerogative Court of Canterbury

In the last Will & Testament of Thomas Bromsall late of Blunham in the County of Bedford Esqr deceas'd bearing date 23 day of April 1750, & now remaining in the Registry of the said Court, amongst other things therein is contain'd as follows, viz

" To the Society for Propagating
" Christian Knowledge by a Volun-
"-tary Subscription Three Guineas
" Yearly for Twenty Years to
" commence at my Demise

Prov'd at London 26 June 1750

2 Order'd that the above Extract be enter'd in the Book of Wills

3. Order'd that the Minute of last Tuesday be continued

4. Letters were read from Mr Deane at Woolhampton 7 July, Mr Thomas at Bristol 20 Ju
Mr Gay at Exeter 7 July, Mr Whiston at Lond:° 6 July 175

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 17 July 1750

At an Extraordinary Meeting
of the Society

Present

Dr Bearcroft, Mr Jenkin, Mr Moore,
Mr Nicolson, Mr Wright, Mr Doughty
Dr Robinson

Mr Jenkin in the Chair in
the Absence of Dr Church

1 Mr Wright according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the present Month.

2 The Revd Jno Butler LLB Rectr of Ashley Hants & Lecturer of St Mary le Strand, recommended by Mr A.D. Yardley & Dr Church, was chose a Subscribing Member of this Society

3 Order'd that the Anniversary Sermon, preach'd by the Revd Mr A.D. Yardley wth an Account of the Proceedings of the Society annex'd be sent to the Subscribing & Corresponding Members, & also to the Benefactors mention'd at the end of the Acct for the last Year.

4 Agreed that Presents of the said Sermon, be made as follows —

To the Preacher as many as he pl

120 To the Charity Schools

24 To the Clergy of London who attended the Sermon, to be sent to Mr Berriman

50 To the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts

28 To the Court of Directors of the East Ind^a Co

24 To the Society in London Corresponding wth the Society in Ireland

24 To D^o in Scotland

24 To the Trustees of Westm^r Infirmary

12 To the Gov^ors of the London Infirmary

12 To the Trustees for Georgia

18 To the Rev^d Dr Hales

6 To the Rev^d Dr Wilson

18 To the Rev^d Dr Denne

6 To the Minister & Church Wardens of Christ Church

24 To the University of Oxford, to be sent to the Rev^d Dr Pardoe

24 To Cambridge to be sent to the Rev^d Dr Long

4 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 4th Sepr next

5 Ordered that the Secr^y do dispatch the common Business of the Society during the Adjournment

Mr Bartlets Build:

Tuesday 4th Septemr 1750

Present

Mr Moore, Mr Pitters, Mr Berriman
Mr Wright, Mr Dobree Senr

Mr Wright in ye Chair

1 The Secretary reported that he had received the following Benefactio during the Society's Adjournment, viz.

To the General Designs

G D 9.. 9.. 0	From two Gentlewomen desiring to be unknown p hands of Mrs Hutton of Westmr - - - - - - -	1.1.0
	Revd Mr Butler Lecturer of St Mary le Strand at Admission - - - -	1.1.
	Revd Mr Gay at Exeter - - - - - -	2.2.
	William Dunster of Laytonstone	5.5.

2 To the East India Mission

E I M 5.. 5.. 0	From a Person unknown p hands of Dr B.	5.5.

3 To the Saltburghers at Ebenezer in Georgia

Saltzburghers 5.. 5.. 0.	From Ditto by the same hands. . .	5.5.

4 To the Welch Bible

WB From the Revd Mr Williams at Llanegwad near Carmarthen } s d 12.0

Sundries 1..13..0 Rev Dr Yates _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ 1..1..0

5 Order'd that the Society's Thanks be sent to the Benefactors

6 The Secry further reported that the Anniversary Sermon had been presented as usual to the King & Royal family

7 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Governors of the Middx Hospital for 12 Copies of a Sermon, preach'd before them by the Lord Bp of Peterborough

8 To the Govrs of the London Hospital for the like No of Sermons preach'd before them by the Lord Bp of Chichester. And to the Society for Propagating Christian Knowledge in Scotland for 6 Copies of a Sermon preach'd before them by the Revd Mr Blair.

9 Mr Berriman paid to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne a Guinea being a Benefaction from the Revd Mr Reepe at Admission as a Member

G D
Mr Reepe
1.1.0

10 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactor

11 Agreed that a Packet of Books to the Amount of 40s (as usual) be sent to the Revd Mr Punderson at North Grotton in N. England as a Present from the Society.

12 Agreed likewise that 25 Lew
Catechism & 25 Fisher's Spelling Books
be given to Sr Richd Hoare out of ye Stores
as also 12 of each of the foregoing Books to
Dr Stonehouse for a Charity School in his
Neighbourhood.

13 The Revd Mr Carlyon, recommend
by Dr Long & Mr Peele, was chose a Sub-
scribing Member of this Society

14 Order'd that the Secrys do Acquain
him therewith.

15 Mr Pittius according to Rotation
was desir'd to be Chairman for the Present th

16 Letters were read from Mr
Harris at Chevehey. 6 Sepr Dr Friend
at Witney Dr Crewe at Muxon Dr Pardo
at Oxford, Mr Taylor at Bath, Mr Parso
at Hemnal Mr Marchant at Edburton

Bartlet's Building

Tuesday 11 Sepr 1750

Present

Dr Terrich, Mr Moore, Mr Dobre

Dr Terrich in ye Chair
in ye Absence of Mr Pittius

1 The Secretary informed the Board tha
a Clergyman had undertaken to visit
White Chappel Prison, now & then, where the
is no settled Minister, & that he desir'd to be
favour'd with some of the Society's Books & Tract
to disperse among the Prisoners

2 Order'd that the Secry do make him up
a proper Packet out of the Stores

3. Letters were read from Mr. Linton
at Friston Dr. Jenner at Buckworth, Mr.
Castleman at So Petherton Mr. Punderson
at Grotton, Dr. Wilson at Tunbridge, Mr. Tucke
at Bristol, Mr. Gregory at Glocester, Dr. Tenton

Bartlett's Buildings

Tuesday 18th Septemr. 1750

Present

Mr. Stehelin, Mr. Butjenter, Dr. Bearcro
Sir Jno. Philipps Mr. Wright

Mr. Stehelin in the Chair in the
Absence of Mr. Pitts

1. The Secrys reported that they had
received 50 Copies of an Account, of the Pro=
=ceedings of the Trustees of the Publick Infirma
=ry in James Street Westmr. from their first
Institution to 28 March 1750, being a Presen
from the Trustees.

2 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be returned for ye Present

Letters were read from Mr Wilson at Halsted, Mr Long at Finmere Mr Pemberton at Bellhamps St Pauls Dr Bowtel at Patrixborne Mr Howell at Kilhennin, Mr Gibert at Belton, Dr Sharpe at Durham, Mr Swinton at Knutsford—

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 25th Septemr 1750

Present.

Dr Webster, Mr Moore

Dr Webster in ye Chair in the Absence of Mr Kettl

1 Mr Watts laid before the Board a Bi of Duties upon the Society's Chambers in ye Temple for Seven Terms amounting to £4„5„9

2 Order'd that Mr Watts in ye Absen of Dr Denne do pay the said Bill

3 Upon reading a Letter from the Re Mr James Holiday Missionary at Bermud wherein he Petitions the Society for some smal Com: Prayer Books & whole Duties of Man

promising

promising to take particular Care to distri
them among such as she knows can scarce spare
Money to buy, but would be very thankful & glad
of them.

4 Agreed that a Number of the said Book
be sent him as a Present to the Amount of 40s

5. It is also agreed that a Bible, New Testt,
& Com: Prayer Book be given to Mrs Bourdillon
for a Poor Family

6. Letters were read from Dr Osborn at
Clifton, Mr Arnold at Burton, Mr Morant at
Colchester, Dr Friend at Witney, Mr Hildrop
at Wath, Mr Birch at Dover, Mr Warren in
N England, Mr Davies at Beverley, Mr Hughes
at Bangor, Dr Bettesworth at Westmr 1750

Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 2d Octob: 1750
Present

Mr Parfect, Mr Stehelin, Mr Moore,
Sr Wm Brown

Mr Stehelin in the Chair in the
Absence of Mr Pittius

1 Henry Hoare Esqr recommended by Sr
Richd Hoare & Mr Watts was chose a Subscribin
Member of this Society, & he the Revd Mr Gilbert

Brochery

Bouchery recommended by Dr Terrick
& Mr Samuel Deykin recommended by
Mr Rowley were chose Corresponding
Members

2 Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint
them therewith

3 Mr Moore according to Rotation
was desired to be Chairman for the present Mon

4 D 9 Mr Parfect paid into the hands of
the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, One
Unknown 1.1.0 Guinea as a Benefaction to the General
Designs from a Lady Unknown

5 Agreed that Mr Parfect be desir'd
to return the Society's Thanks for the same

6 Order'd that 200 Copies of Mr
Fisher's Childs Xtian Education be laid
into the Society's Stores

7 Letters were read from Mr Stead
at Reigate, 25 Sepr Mr Fetherstone at Staines
29 Sepr Mr A D Lechmere at Warnford,
Mr Shaw at Polesworth Mr Peters at St
Mabyn 24 Sepr Mr J Havard at Carmarthen
26 Sepr Mr Ault at Arbury 29 Sepr Mr Tinda
at Chelmsford, 24 Sepr Mr White at Leighton
Bozard 27 Sepr 1750

Bartlett's Buildings

Tuesday 16. Octr 1750

Present

Sir Wm Brown, Dr Robinson, Col Hudson, Mr Wascopp

Dr Robinson in the Chair in the Absence of Mr Moore

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd the following Benefactions & carried them to Dr Denne's Account viz.

To the General Designs

G.D. Sundries 17.7.0

From the Revd Mr Edwd Lunn Rect. of Denton in Kent	1.1.0
A Wid. Gentlewoman at Bristol p hands of the Rev Mr Tucker	1.1.0
Salisbury Cade of Greenwich Esqr	1.1.0
The Legacy of the Rev Mr John Salisbury of Worcester lately deceas'd paid by his Son & Executor Thos. Salisbury LLD	10.0.0
Revd Dr Sharpe AD of Northumberld	2.2.0
Rev Mr Burron Senr of Chestorfd p hands of Mr Jos: Webb	2.2.0
	17.7.0

To the Welch Bible

W.B. Sundries 2.12.6

From Salisbury Cade Esq	.10.6
Mrs Morris of Greenwich	1.1.0
Mrs Lloyd of the Salt Office	1.1.0
£	2.12.6

Order'd that the Thanks of
the Society be sent to the Benefactors

Order'd that the Thanks of the
Society be return'd to the Society for Promoting
English Protestant Schools in Ireland for a
present of 200 Copies of a Sermon, preach'd
before them at Christ Church Dublin on the
23d Day of March last, by the Lord Bishop
of Leighlin & Ferns.

Letters were read from Mr Tanner
at Lowestoft, Mr Price at Holywel 5 Octr
Mr Williams at Oxford 11 Octr Mr Williams
at Abercamlais 9 Octr Mr Bethel at Orsden
9 Octr Dr Crew at Muxon 11 Octr Mr Ridley
at Rumford 13 Octr Mr Wilberfoss at Gainsborough,
Mr Wilson at Westmeston Octr 175

Tuesday 23 Octr 175

Present.

Mr Moore, Dr Church
Mr Moore in the Chair

Order'd that Mr Watts in ye Absen
of Dr Denne do pay Messrs Bloss & Johnso
their Bill for Paper, deliver'd to Mr Oliver,
for Printing the Anniversary Sermon, amo
=ting £24. 3. 6

Letters were read from Mr Parkin at Hemnal 13 Octr Mr Cartwright at Wroxceter, Mr Collins at St Seth, 23 Octr Mr Fenwick at Hallaton 20 Octr Mr Skinner at Lingattock 15 Octr Mr Thomas at Penpio 23 Octr Mr Davies at Talgarth 14 Octr Mr Shute at Olveston 20 Octr Mr Vaughan at Landyping 15 Octr Mr Best at Chatham 16 Octr 1750

Bartlets Building

Tuesday 6 Novemr 1750.

Present

Mr Parfect, Dr Bearcroft, Mr Edwards
Mr Wright Sir Wm Brown;

Mr Edwards in the Chair in the Absence of Mr Moore

1 The Secry laid before the Board a List of Debtors, wch by an Order of the Society he had releas'd out of Prison wth ye Money allotted by Mr Read & paid by the Lord Bp of Oxford for that Charitable purpose amounting to the Sum of £10.0.0

Marshalsea

	Composition of their Debts Fees & Lodging	Gave them at their Discharge
George Williams Clerk	3.0.0	2.6
R. Golding a Chairman wth a large family	.15.10	2.6
John Best	.10.0	2.6
£	4.5.10	7.6

Brot. Over	4 „ 5 „ 10	7 „ 6
George Sedwell	14 „ 8	2.6
& Mary Kelley	14 „ 6	2 „ 6
		12.6

White Chappel

Thos. Monday Spital Fields Weaver	15 „ 0
Jos. Ferraro, a Portuguese Marr.	15 „ 0
Battista Silver Spanish Do.	10 „ 0
Diego Aminas East India Do.	10 „ 0
Mary Elliot Throwster	10 „ 0
Mary Jones a Washerwoman	12 „ 6
	9 „ 7 „ 6
	12 „ 6
£	10 „ 0 „ 0

Order'd

2 That a Copy of the foregoing Repor be sent to the Bp of Oxford.

Dr. Bearcroft according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the present Mont

3 The Revd. Dr. Yarbrough Principal of Brazen Nose College, Oxon, recommended by Dr. Church.

Mr. Ebenezer Blackwell Banker in Lombard Street, recommended by Sr. William Brown & Dr. Robinson:

And Mr. Clarke of Northallerton in Yorks.e recommended by Mr. Robt. Clark were chose Subscribing Members of this So

And the Revd. Mr. Shaw Vicar of Bearton near Ailsbury Bucks. & the Revd. Mr. Pridd

Master of the Grammar School at Harling near Luton Bedfordshire recommended by Mr White of Leighton were chose Correspd Members.

4 Ordered that the Secrys do Acquaint those Gentlemen wth such Choice.

5 Mr Broughton reported that he had recd the following Benefactions & carried to Dr Dennis Account viz.

To the General Designs

4D From the Revd Mr Peters Rr of St Mabyns Cornwall	2„ 2„ 0
Revd Dr Asborn Rr of Clifton Bedfordsh	1„ 1„ 0
Dr Frans Yarborough Principal of Brazen Nose Col. Oxon at Adm:	1„ 1„ 0
Henry Fish Palmer Esqr of Northill Bedfordshire	„ 10„ 6
A Lady desiring to be Unknown by the hands of the Secretary	1„ 1„ 0
Mr Henry Carrer Hemp Mercht on Snow Hill	2„ 2„ 0
Revd Mr Lloyd Vicar of Epping Essex	1„ 1„ 0
Revd Mr Hull Vicar of Arlsey Bedford	1„ 1„ 0
Henry Hoare Esqr	1„ 1„ 0

To the Welch Bible

From the Revd Mr Tanner Vicar of Lowestoft, Suffolk	5„ 5„ 0
Revd Mr Barrow Rr of Northill Bedfordsr	„ 10„ 6
A Lady Unknown by Mr Daw	„ 10„ 6
Revd Mr Hull Vicar of Arlsey Bedfordsh	1„ 1„ 0

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To the East Inda Mission

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Mr Tanner

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From the Revd Mr Tanner .... 5,,5,,—

Order'd

That the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors.

Letters were read from Mr Cartwright at Wroxceter Octr. Mr Gregory at Ashwell 29 Ocr. Mr Jackson at Adle Yorks. Sir Jno Thorold at Cranwel 3d. Mr Shaw at Poleswoth 29 Octr. Dr Osborn at Clifton 3 Novemr. 1750—

Bartlets Buildings

Tuesday 13 Novr. 1750.

Present.

Dr Wilson Mr Jenkin Mr Edwards, Dr Robinson, Mr Dobree,

Dr Wilson in the Chair,

1. Agreed that 2 Arabick new Testaments, 2 Psalters, a few Portuguse new Testamts & a few books in the Malabari or any of ye Eastern Languages (whereof there are Duplicates in ye Society's Stores) be given to a Gentleman going as Physician & Surgeon to ye East Indies at ye request of Dr Wilson

2. Agreed likewise that an Arabick New Testamt. be given to Mr Cossart at the Doctrs request

3 Mr Wilson paid to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne a Guinea being a Benefaction towards a New Impression of Welch Bibles from the Revd Mr Dowding Minister of the Chapel at Tunbridge Wells.

W B
Mr Dowding
1..1..0.

4 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactor

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 20 Novr 1750
Present

Mr Morgan, Mr Jenkin, Col Hudson, Dr Robinson

Col Hudson in ye Chair

A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Parker of Rollright Oxfords. dated 16 Inst, enquiring on the behalf of a Gentleman in his Neighbourhood, whether "Lands held by "Lease renewable in such a Term of Years, " either from a private Person or Body of Men " were what could be left to the Society, so that " the Law would permit ye Society to enjoy the " Profits rising from such Leases notwithstanding " the Act of Mortmain"?

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Ordered that the Secry do take the Opinion of such Members of the Society that are Barristers of Law & at present in Town in this matter

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Bartlets Building
Tuesday 27 Novr 1750.
Present

Dr Wilson, Dr Regis, Dr Nicolls
Mr Morgan, Dr Robinson Mr Blackwell
Dr Wilson in ye Chair

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Mr Blackwell
2„ 2„

Mr Blackwell being introduc'd by Dr Robinson, subscrib'd 3 Guineas Annuall towards promoting the Designs of ye Society & paid 2 Guineas to the Secry in the Absence of the Treasurer, as his Benefaction at Admiss for wch the Comee gave Mr Blackwell their thank

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W B
Dr Regis
1. 1. 0.

Dr Regis also paid to the Secry a Guinea as a Benefaction towards the New Impressi of Welch Bibles, for which, as likewise for a present of 12 Copies of a Discourse upon Faith, the Committee return'd their Thanks to the Doctor

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Bartlet's Building
Tuesday 4th Decr 1750
Present

Mr A Dr Yardley, Mr Mead, Mr Gosling
Mr Venn, Sir William Brown

Mr A Dr Yardley in the Chair

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Sundries
5„5„—

The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd the following Benefactions & carried them to Dr Dennes Account viz

To the General Designs

From the Revd Mr Collins Vicar of St Erth in Cornwall	2„2„0
A Person desiring to be Unknown	2„2„0
Henry Salwey of Elton Salop Esqr	1„1„0
	5„5„0

W B
D
Sundries
9„9„0

To the Welch Bible

A Lady Unknown by the Revd Mr White of Leighton Bedfordsh	1„1„0
A Gentlewoman Unknown by the Secry	„10„6
Mrs Maria Rice	„10„6
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unk by Mr Deners of Elton	1„1„0
Mr Deners & his Daughters	2„2„0
Mrs Catmur in Fore Street	1„1„0
Capt Humfrey Pudner & hands of the Revd Dr Ayerst	2„2„0
A Person Unknown & hands of Mr Pages of Farmborough	1„1„0
£	9„9„0

Agreed that application be made to the Directors of the East India Compy that the Things requested by the Miſsionaries may be sent Freight free, & that when their leave is obtain'd the underwritten Things be sent viz

For the Miſsion in General

12 Portuguese Testaments
30 Ream of Printing Paper
9 Ream of Writing Paper
12 Arabick Testaments
12 Penknives
2 Pound of Sealing Wax
4 Hour Glaſses of 4 Glaſses
12 Spectacles for several Ages
24 Black Lead Pencils
12 Horn Combs
12 Red Pencils
25 Pound of Glue
6 Pound of hard Soap
18 Skins of Parchment
10 Pound of Cords
12 Knives to cutt Pasteboards

40 Pound of Regulus Antimon
Iron, Copper & Tin in Proportion to ye Antimon
25 Pound of Lamp Black
2 Doz: of Felts for Ball
1 Doz: of Braſs Rules
6 Small Brushes
Some Box Wood for Lett
6 Knives to Cutt the Letter
10 Gallons of Linseed Oy
6 Doz: of Pasteboards
1 Pound of Vermillion
1 Pound of Verdegrease
2 Sewing Preſses
1 Standing Preſs

4 Chests of Beer
4 Cheshire Cheeses cover'd wth Lead

Foreign Silver not exceeding 5000 Ounces

3 Agreed that Sir Richd Hoare be desir'd to pay the Secry what Money he has in his hands towards buying the Necessaries for the East India Mission

4. Agreed that Mr A D Denne be desird to Advance the necessary Sums for the Payment of the Missionaries Salaries & other Expences attending the Mission out of Mr Palmers Legacy so far as that Fund will enable him to do it & that the deficiency be supplied by Mr Gosling the Treasurer for the Subscriptions

Mr Mead according to Rotation was desir'd to be Chairman for the present Month

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Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 11 Decr 1750

Prest Mr Mead Dr Wilson
Sir Wm Wentworth

Mr Mead in the Chair

Letters were read from the following Membe & such Packets as they wrote for, order'd to be sen viz. From Mr Arnold at Burton Dr Hutchinso Mr Terrett, Mr Dobree Mr Haugh, Mr Jackso Mr Caley, Mr Potter, Mr Benson at Worcester.

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 18th Decemr. 1750

Present

Dr Wilson, Mr Mead, Mr Moore
Mr Berriman, Dr Nicolls, Mr Gosling
Col Hudson

Mr Mead in the Chair

1 Agreed that 25 Copies of the Childs Christian Education be sent out of the Stores to the Revd Mr Vaughan of Leominster for the Charity Schooll in his Parish

Dr Regis desiring that he might be favour'd wth 6 Copies of the said Book.

2 Agreed that the Drs request be compl with.

3 It is also agreed that a Lr. Packet of Tract agt Popery be sent to the Revd Mr Swinton at Knutsford in Cheshire out of ye Stores.

4. Tuesday next being Christmas day it is agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 8th Jany.

5. Order'd that the Secrys do dispatch such Packets as shall be requested by the Members during the Recess.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 8 Jan^ry 1756

Present

Dr Terrick, Dr Denne Dr Church Mr Mead, Mr A. D. Smalebroke, Dr Wilson, Mr Ward, Mr Moore, Mr Wright, Mr Gosling,

Mr Mead in the Chair.

1 The Secretary reported that he had receiv'd the following Benefactions during the ſociety's Adjournment, viz

To the Welch Bible

From the Revd Mr Arnold at Burton Lincolns^r for some Gent^n desiring to be Unknown	2„2„—
Revd Mr Benson Minister of St Nicholas in Worcester	1„1„—
Mrs Shepard by Ditto	1„1„—
Miſs Todd by Ditto	1„1„—
Mrs Ealey by Ditto	„10„6
A Gentlew^n Unknown by Ditto	1„1„
Three Gentlew^n D^o 5 each by Ditto	„15„
Some leſser Benef^ns by Ditto	„5„6
Revd Mr Geo. Phillipps Vicar of St Mary's in Haverfordwest	1„1„
Thos Micklethwait of Leeds Esqr	1„1„6
A Person Unknown by Ditto	1„1„6

Rev. Mr Thos Williams Vicar of St Johns in Brecon	3.. 3..
Lady Legard of Ganton Yorksr.	2.. 2..

To the East Inda. Mission

Lady Legard of Ganton	2.. 2..

To the General Designs

From Mr Saml. Deykin of Carmar.	1.. 1..
A Person desiring to be Unknown by Mr Gell of Westmr.	1.. 7..
Rev. Mr Ebenezer Punderson Itent. Missionary in N. England	.. 10..
A Person Unknown by Mr Micklethwait	1.. 1..
Lady Legard of Ganton Yorksr.	2.. 2..

2 Dr Church desir'd the Society's Acceptance of a Guinea towards the New Impression of Welch Bibles wch was paid to Mr A.D. Denne

3 The Archdeacon reported that he had recd for the same good purpose a Guinea from the Rev. Mr Clarke Canon Residentiary of Chichester, likewise a Guinea from a Lady at Rochester, besides two Guineas from two Gentlemen of the same place to the Genl Designs

4 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the several Benefactors.

5 The Secry laid before ye Board, 2 Vol. of a Book entitled Deism reveal'd, or the

of the Attack on Christianity candidly revi
in its real merits &c. being a Present from
Mr Millar the Publisher

6 Dr Tonick according to Rotation was
desir'd to be Chairman for this Month

Dr Woodward's Disswasive agst Drunkss
7 wch is at present out of Print having been
revised according to a late Order & with
Amendments approv'd.

8 Agreed that the said Tract be reprint
and dispers'd as before.

The Secry laid before the Board a
9 French Translation of a Tract in ye Catalogue
entitled Cautions & Directions for the per=
formance of the Publick Worship of God
as appointed by the Church made by Mr
Bourdillon, in pursuance of his kind Offer
to the Society 28 Novem. 1749.

Order'd that the Thanks of ye Soci
10 be return'd to Mr Bourdillon for his Care &
pains in that Business & for his readiness to
serve the Society on all Occasions

The Rev Mr Thos Fitzgerald Re
11 of Wootton in Surry recommended by Mr Doughty
& Mr Willm Kemp of Old Street recommended
bye Mr Townsend & Dr Robinson were chose
Subscribing Members of this Society: And the
Rev Mr Chambre Vicar of Sappington
in

in Shropshire recommended by Mr Waring was chosen a Corresponding Member.

Ordered that the Secrys do Acquaint the abovementioned Gentlemen to such Choice

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Bartlets Building
Tuesday 15 Jany 1750

Present

Dr Denne, Dr Wilson, Dr Bearcroft
Mr Stehelin, Mr Berriman, Mr Bourdillon
Mr Dobrée, Mr Nowell, Col Hudson.

Mr A D Denne in the Chair in ye Absence of Dr Terrick

1 The Secry brought to the Board 50 Copies of a Tract entitled Visions by a Lady a Present to ye Society from an Unknown han likewise 100 Copies of a Farther Account of the Circulating Welch Charity Schools from Micha 1749 to Micha 1750. A Present from Sir Jno Thorold.

2. Mr Nowell paid to Mr A D Denne the following Benefactions viz.

To the General Designs

From the Revd Dr Parker Rec. of Uwick in the County of Durham Chaps of the Lord Bp of Gloucester } £. s. 1„1„0

From Mrs Mary Thornton of Clapham 2„2„0

To the Welch Bible

From Thos Ratcliffe of Gloucester Esqr 1„1„0

3 At the same time Mr Nowell paid to the Secy the following Benefactions to the East India Mission to be placed to ye Acct of Sir R. Hoare

From the Revd Dr Parker as above 1„1„0

From Thos Ratcliffe Ditto 4„4„0

Ordered 4 That the Thanks of the Society be sent to their Benefactors

Agreed 5 That Mr A. D. Denne be desir'd to pay Mr Oliver two Bills for Printing & binding Books for the Society's Stores amounting to 8„17„ likewise £2„10„ for a Warehouse, as also Wm Camps Bill of £3„7„6 for bindg books for ye Stores

Ordered 6 That the Presents & Stores to be sent to the East Indies for the Service of the Protestant Mission, be Insur'd in one of the Publick Offices

Bartlets Buildgs
Tuesday 22d Janry 1750

Present

Dr Wilson, Mr Moore Mr Berriman
Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson, Mr Terrell
Col. Hudson

Mr Sydenham in ye Chair
in the Absence of Dr Terrick

1 Dr Wilson informing the Comee that the Revd Mr Bacon the Society's Correspondent in Maryland, was erecting a Charity Working Schoo in that Province, & that a Packet of Books of the Cathechetical sort wou'd be very acceptable on ye occasion

2 Order'd that such a Packet be sent to Mr Bacon as a Present out of the Stores

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Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 29 Janry 1750/5

Present
Dr Wilson, Mr A D Smalbroke Mr Moore
Mr Sydenham, Mr Ravaud
Dr Wilson in the Chair

1 A Letter being read from Sir Jno Thorold at Cranwell dated 19 Inst, wherein he requests of the Society, that if they have any Copies remaining of the Books wch they publish'd some Years agoe for the use of Debtors & Criminals, he might be favour'd on ye usual Terms wth 3 Doz: of the form & 2 Doz: of the latter: wch said Books he intendin to put into the hands of the Clergyman who ha the Care of Lincoln Jail, with a desire that he

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would dispose of them to such of the Prisoners as he might think were likely to receive benefit from them

2 Order'd that the said Books be made a Present of to Sir Jno. Thorold for the above charitable purpose

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Bartlets Buildings
Tuesday 5 Febry 1750/51
Present

Mr Nowell, Mr Parfect, Mr Worthington, Mr Moore, Mr Stehelin, Mr Osborne Mr Sydenham, Dr Robinson, Mr Kemp, Mr Dobree Senr.

Mr Nowell in the Chair

1 The Rev. Dr Dalton Preby. of Worcester recomd by Mr Gosling & Dr Church, The Revd Dr Thomas Re. of Blechingly in Surry recommended by Dr Terrick. Mr Robt Gosling of Lond. Merch.t recommended by Mr Fra. Gosling & Dr Church_ Sir Jno Barnard Knt & Ald.n of London recomended by Mr Nowell & Mr Dobree. & Sir Robt Ladbroke Knt & Ald.n of Lond. recommended by Dr Bearcroft & Mr Watts were chose Sub: Members of this Society

2 The Revd Dr Parker R. of Elwick in ye County of Durham, propos'd by the Bp of Glocester Charles Floyer Esqr. Govr. of Fort St Davids in East India propos'd by Dr Robinson, & the Revd Mr Harwood Chaplain to the Bp of Rochester prop. by Dr Wilson, were chose Corresponding Members

Order'd that the Secry do Acquaint the
Gentlemen wth such choice.

3 The following Tracts having been first recommended by three Sub: Members, as fit & requisite to Promote the Designs of the Society & afterwards referred to the Perusal of 4 other Members who concurr'd in the same Opinion, were admitted upon the Society's List by Balloting, viz.

1 Four Sermons to the Masters & Mistresses of Negro Slaves

II Two Ditto to the Slaves themselves both by the Revd Mr Bacon Rec. of a Church in Mary Land

III A Caution agst Enthusiasm being the latter part of the late Bp of London's 4th Pastoral Letter.

IIII His Lordships Exhortation to a Serious reformation of Life & manners, being his 5th & last Pastoral Letter, with a Postscript Setting forth the danger & mischiefs of Popery

4 The Society being of Opinion that the late Bp of London's 5th Pastoral Letter might be usefully divided into two parts in like manner as the 4th, as the Subjects are different in both alike

Order'd that Mr Owen ye Publisher be desir'd in his next Edition of the Fifth Pastoral Letter to divide the said Letter into two Parts, & make distinct Treatises

5 Mr Oliver the Publisher of Mr Bacons Tracts being called in, agreed wth ye Society to supply

them

them with the 4 Sermons to the Masters & Mist
of Negroes at 6 Stitcht together in one Single
Tract. And wth ye 2 Sermons to the Slaves making
one Tract at 3 Single.

6. Mr Dod likewise reported from Mr Owen
the Proprietor of the late Bp of London's Books
& Tracts, that he will furnish the Society wth his
Ldships five Pastorals Letters at 1„ 4 in Sheets &
wth the three Tracts now admitted into ye Catalogue
at 1d Single, or 6„ 6 P hundred.

Mr Norvell according to Rotation was
desir'd to be Chairman during this Month.

8 Mr Norvell inform'd the Board, that Sir
Jno Barnard accepted of his being choseen a Sub=
=scribing Member, & that he had desir'd him to
Subscribe in his Name the Yearly Sum of Five
Guineas for carrying on the Designs of the Society &
to pay to the Treasurer the like Sum as his Bene=
=faction at Admission wch was recd by the Secretary in
the Absence of Dr Denne.

9 Order'd that the Thanks of this Society
be return'd to Sir Jno Barnard for his Subscription
& Benefaction.

10. Mr Worthington likewise reported that
The Revd Mr Thos Rickards Rectr of Llanfyllin
in Montgomeryshire, a Corresponding Member
had desir'd him to enter his Name in the Sub=
=scription Book & to pay a Guinea at his Admissi
wch was done accordingly, & Mr Worthington was desir
to thank ye Benefactor

11 Mr Kemp also Subscribed to Promote the Society's Designs & paid a Guinea to the Secretary in the Absence of Mr A: D: Denne, being his Benefaction at Admission for wch the Society gave him their Thanks

12 Dr Osborn paid into the same hands a Guinea, being a Benefaction to the General Designs from a Person desiring to be Unknown.

13 Agreed that Dr Osborn be desir'd in the Society's Name to thank the Benefactor

14. Orderd that the thanks of the Society be given to Dr Wilson for his Present of 50 Copies of the Rev. Mr Bacon's Sermon preach'd for the benefit of a Charity Working School, to be set up in the Province of Maryland, for the Maintenance & Education of Orphans & other poor Children & Negr

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Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 12 Febry 1750/51.

Present

Mr Nowell, Dr Wilson, Dr Nicolls, Mr Cooper, Mr Tockington, Mr A D. Denne; Mr Parfect Mr Moore, Mr Berriman, Mr Bourdillon, Mr Ridley, Mr J. Gosling, Mr R. Gosling, Col. Hudſon, Mr Sydenham

Mr Nowell in the Chair.

1 Mr Robt Gosling being introduc'd by his Brother Subscrib'd to promote the Society's Designs & paid a Guinea to Mr A.D. Denne, as his Benefaction at Admission for wch the Comee gave him their thanks.

2 Mr A.D. Denne reported that he had receiv'd a Guinea, being a Benefaction to the General Designs from a Person desiring to be unknown, by the hands of the Revd Mr Bouchery, Minir of Swaffham in Norf.

3 Mr Sydenham reported, that he had been desir'd by the Trustees of the Charity Schools to return their Thanks to this Society for the Encouragement they have at all times given to the Charity Schools, & to beg the Continuance of their favour & good Offices.

4. The Secry reported that he had paid the Benefactions mention'd in ye Minutes of last Tuesday to Mr A.D. Denne, as also those underwritten, viz.

From the Revd Mr Mason Vic. of Trinity Ch at Kingston upon Hull	1,,1,,0
Revd Mr Lloyd Rr of Ryton near Newcastle upon Tyne at Admission	1,,1,,0
Revd Mr Jno Scarle Vic of South Scarle	,,10,,6
Revd I.C. near Petworth in Sussex by hands of the Revd Mr Watson	1,,1,,0
James Cranmer of Mitcham in Surry Esq.	1,,1,,0
Revd Mr Parry Rr of Shipston Worcestersh.	1,,1,,0
Revd Mr Thos Sewell Minr of Whitehaven Cumd	,,10,,6
Three Clergymen in Suffolk desiring to be unknown by hands of Mr Glenden	1,,1,,0
Carrd Over	

Brot Over	7" 7"–
Rev Mr Fitzgerald Re. of Wotton in Surrey at Admission	1" 1"–
Rev Mr Mildesley Vicar of Hitchin	1" 1"–
A Clergyman desiring to be Unknown by Ditto	1" 1
	£ 10" 10" 0

5 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

6. Order'd that the Society's Thanks be likewise given to Dr Webster for 6 Copies of his two Sermons on the Sabbath wch he had sent as a Present.

Bartlet's Buildings

Tuesday 19 February 175

Present

Mr A. D. Denne, Mr Nowell, Mr Moore

Dr Wilson, Mr Terrett, Col Hudson, Mr Sydenham, Mr Gosling, Mr Ravaud.

Mr Nowell in the Chair

1 Mr A. D. Denne reported that he had receiv'd of Adam Gordon Esqr p hands of Mr Watts the Sum of £ 55"–" being the purchas Money of the Society's Chambers in ye Temple, wch were sold to the said Mr Gordon, by Mr Gosling

rchase of the Sty Chambers
of Temple
55"–"–

of M.r Watts according to an Order of y.e Society 29.th May last

2 The Sec.ry reported that he had received the following Benefactions to the General Design & had paid them to M.r A. D. Deane viz.

From the Rev.d M.r Hatfield of Silley Herts	1„1„0
Rev.d M.r Holmes Vic.r of Rickmansworth	1„1„0
Rev.d M.r Skinner Rec.d of Llangattock Monmouth.re at Admission	1„1„0
Lady Palmer of Carlton	1„1„0
Two Ladies desiring to be Unknown	4„4„0
Lady Viscountess Cullen	1„1„0
M.r Hardinge	1„1„0
Two Gent.n desiring to be Unknown	2„2„0
M.rs Hester Palmer	„10„6
Two Ladies desiring to be Unk.	1„1„0
Rev.d M.r Pippin	1„1„0
Tho.s Wilson Esq.	1„1„0
M.rs Bewick	3„–„–
A Gentlewo.n desiring to be Unk.	1„1„0
M.rs Carte	1„1„0
Rev.d M.r Fenwick Re.r of Hallaton who remitted y.e 12 last nam'd Benefactions	2„2„0
And from the Rev.d M.r Chambre Vicar of Lappington Salop	1„1„0
	£24„10„6

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3 The Secry further reported that he had recd ye undermentiond Benefactions to ye Welch Bible & had likewise paid them to Mr N D Denne, viz

From the Revd Mr Thos Williams Vicr of Llanegwad Carmarthenr	1. 10. –
Rev. Mr Fenwich Rr of Hallaton for sundry Benefactors	5. 5. –

4 Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be sent to the Benefactors

5 The Secry brought to the Board, the 6th Sheet of the New Impression of the Welch Bible

6 Order'd that as fast as the Sheets are work'd off, they be brought to the Board, & laid upon the Table for ye inspection of the Members.

7 A Letter was read from the Bp of Worcester, accompany'd wth a Present of 6 Copies of his Ldship's Spital Sermon, wth a Dedication & Appendix concerning Spiritous Liquors.

Order'd that the Thanks of the Society be return'd to ye Bp of Worcester for his Present.

Bartlet's Buildings
Tuesday 26 Febry 1750/

Presnt

Dr Nicolls Dr Dalton, Mr Warcopp, Mr Moor, Mr Hetherington, Sir Wm Brown

Dr Nicolls in the Chair in the Absence of Mr Nowell

1 The Secry reported that a Lady had called & paid into his hands for the use of the Society One Hundred Pounds being a Benefaction from a Person desiring to be Unkn to be applied to the following Purposes, viz.

Towards carrying on the Designs of the Society in General	50.. ..
Towards the New Impression of Welch Bibles	25.. ..
Toward the Support of the East India Mission	25.. ..

2 Dr Dalton giving his Company at the Board, Subscribed to Promote ye Designs of the Society & paid a Guinea to the Secry in the Absence of Dr Denne, as his Benefaction at Admission, for wch the Committee gave him their Thanks.

the Abstracts from ye End
Continuation of ^ of ye minute Book Folio XVIII.

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the SOCIETY for Promoting Christian Knowledge for One Quarter from Tuesday

th 1 July
5 August 1746 to Tuesday 7 October 1746

Chairmen this Quarter

Dr Thomer
Mr Whithorne
Mr Venn

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Workhouses reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society.

Sep. 30 p. 14 · 11. The Legacy of James Wilson late of Kraythorp Esqr bequeathed to the Revd Mr Fenwick of Hallaton for the use of the Society } 50.0.0

Subscribing Members chose

Aug. 5 · 3 Joseph Thorpe M.D. of Stroud Glocestersr
Sep. 2 / 2 / 13 · 7. Mr Nat. Townsend in Lothbury
Mr Peter Dobree Senr Merchant in London
Revd Mr Doughty Minister of St James's Clerkenwell.

Corresponding Members chose

Aug. 5 / 3 · 3 Revd Mr White of Hawnes Bucks
Revd Mr Dowding Minister of Tunbridge Wells
Revd Mr Serces Minist. of the French Chappel at St James
Sep. 2 / 8 · 8. Revd Mr Watson of Petworth in Sussex
Revd Mr Bacon of Talbot County in Mary Land

Miscellaneous Reports.

1 · 11 Mr Berriman empower'd to Discharge a Poor Debtor out of Legacy
12. A Motion to appoint a Comee to discharge poor Debtors

[illegible] appointed [illegible] concerning ye Publication [illegible]
M.S. [illegible] French Persecution

6. Mr Oliver delivers two Bills, One of 3.19.0 ye other of 16. [illegible] are order'd to be paid

19 9. The Secry empower'd to discharge a Debtor out of ye Marshalsea Prison

15 7. Orders given for ye immediate publication of ye ~~same~~ M.S. relating to ye persecution in France

9. Mr Olivers Contract wth ye Society to Print 5000 Copies

Mr Johnson to be paid 10l. for Pap: for ye W. Bible

22 1. A Motion to have some of ye Tracts bound in Pasteboards

2. The Translation of a Letter from Mr Professr Franck was read

1 Aug 5 6. The Society confirm ye Motion concerning ye binding of some of ye Tracts in Pasteboard & agree wth Mr Dod for ye same at 1d Each Tract

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12 9. Mr Thorke order'd to Survey the Society's Chambers in the Temple, Mr Brunacker complaining that they were very much out of ~~Order~~ Repair

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– 10. The Society to have a special Meeting to give Directions concerning ye more effectually dispersing ye M. Ss

– 11. Dr Wilson is desired to beg ye favour of Dr Ayscough [illegible] to take a convenient opportunity of laying the Proposals for a New Edition of Welch Bibles before the Prince of Wales

12 12. A Motion made to take ye Xtian Monitor of ye large Letter upon the Catalogue

– 13. The Secry lays before the Board a List of Debtors discharged out of ye Marshalsea Prison

19 3. An Order for Repairing the Chambers in the Temple

8 6. Five Pounds given to ye Revd Mr Moore for his care and pains in Translating the Memorials, Letters &c.a relating to the French Persecution

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– 7. Mr Wilson's Bill for Paper amounting to 35.18.9 and Mr Olivers Bill for Printing 5000 Copies of ye above Narrative at 3.16 p Sheet orderd to be paid

9. The Xtian Monitor of the large Size admitted upon the List

Sep 2 11. An Order that ye Money and Presents designed for the Mission be for ye future put on board One of ye earliest India Ships

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13. The Letters &c.a from ye Missionaries to be read again in Novemr
The Society Adjourn to ye 30th Inst.

30 8. Mr Olivers two Bills the One of 2.10.0 ye other of 18.9 orderd to be paid

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Benefactions to ye Gen. Desig

Messrs Schalchhauser, Hagel & Iselham Merchts at Venice	3.0.0
Revd Mr Godley of Hitchin Herts	2.2.0
Mr Oliver	10.6
A Person desiring to be unknown by The Revd Mr Tucker of Bristol	1.1.0
Revd Mr Taylor, Curate of the Abby at Bath	1.1.0
Revd Mr Tucker Vicar of All Saints, Bristol at Admission	1.1.0
Mrs Lee by the Revd Mr Cartwright at Worcester	6.0.0
Revd Mr Smith Rect. of Bushey Herts	4.4.0
Mrs Catmore at London	1.1.0
Revd Mr Mason at Hull	1.1.0
Revd Mr Chapman Preb. of Bristol at Admn	1.1.0
Revd Mr Gibert of Belton Lincolnshire	1.1.0
Revd Mr Dowding, Minist.r of Tunbridge Wells at Admission	1.1.0
Revd Mr Wells of Westbury Glocestersh.	1.1.0
M.A.D.D.	1.1.0
Dr Thorpe M.D at Stroud Glocestersh. at Admn	1.1.0
Two Ladys desiring to be Unknown by the Revd Mr Gibert	2.2.0
A Gentn Do by The Revd Dr Hales	2.2.0
Revd Mr Burrow at Chesterfield	2.2.0

Benefactions to ye E.I. Mission

Sep. 30 p.14	6.	Revd Dr Ayerst Preb. of Canterbury	2.2.0

Benefactions to the Saltzburghers

Messrs Schalchhauser, Hagel, & Iselham Merchts at Venice	15 —

Books & Papers presented to ye Soci

y 1. 2. 25 Copies of The Revd Mr Tucker's Sermon before the Govrs of the Infirmary at Bristol a Present from the Author

8 2. 50 Copies of a Letter to a Clergyman concerning the Welch Schools a Present from the Revd Mr Gr. Jones

15 1. An Octvo Set of ABp Tillotson's Sermons presented by the Revd Mr Bridges of Gotham

50 Copies of a Book entitled The Platforme of Xtianity presented by The Revd Mr Griff. Jones.

Aug 12 1. 300 Lord Bp of Kildare's Sermon at Christ Church Dublin a Present from the Society Correspond. with that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestant Schools.

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Books & Papers admitted to be disp.

Aug 19 4 Popery always the same exemplifyed in an Authentick Acct of the Persecution now carrying on agt the Protestants in the South of France with an Appendix

8

9. The Christian Monitor Large Size

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Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of ye Society.

July 22 3 1000 Copies of Directions for ye Devout & proper use of the Com: Prayer

1000 Copies of Cautions & Directions for the performance of Publick worship

A List of Books given away by order of the Society

29 1 A Packet of bound books Value 20s to a young man at Antigua, at ye request of Mr Mucey.

Aug 12 7 200 Popery always the Same to Mr Jones

7

19 2. A Packet Value 5s to the Revd Mr Bacon in Mary Land

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An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, for One Quarter from Tuesday 7th October to Tuesday 13th January 1746-7.

Chairmen this Quarter

Dr Best
Dr Robinson
Sr Jn Philipps

Charity Schools reported to be Erected

Workhouses reported to be Erected

Gifts & Legacys to ye Society

Subscribing Members chose

Octr 7 p. 18 | 7 | Mr Jno Thornton Merchant in London
Revd Mr Lord of Wilmington in Sussex
Novr 4 23. | 5 | Dr Stonehouse Physician at Northampton
Mr Peter Dobree Junr Merchnt in London
Decr 2 32 | 2 | Revd Mr Wm Talbot Fellow of Clare Hall Cambri

Corresponding Members chose

Novr 4 23 | 5 | Revd Mr Waring Lect of St Mildred in ye Poul

Miscellaneous Reports

Octr 7 14 | 9 | Mr Watts orderd to pay Mr Johnson two Bills amountg to ye

14 18 | 5 | Revd Mr Whites Lre concerning a Ch School lately erected at Holton referrd to ye Consideration of ye Society

Novr 4 23, 24 | 7.8 | An offer of The Rt Ld Bp of Lincolns wth respect to ye Obtaining a Compleat List of ye Ch Schools throug-out his Lordships Diocese, as signifyd by the Revd Mr Jones of Alconbury, accepted by the Society

9. A Bill of Messrs Bloss & Johnson for Paper for ye [illegible]
Bibles, amounting to 126..12..6 ordered to be paid

12 Agreed to referr the Revd Mr Whites Fee to ye Consideration
of ye Trustees of ye Ch. Schools.

13 Application to be made to ye Court of Directors that the
Things design'd for E. India may go freight free

14. A List of those Things

15 Mr Watts order'd to buy 200 l.s in Foreign Silver

25 16. An Order that Mr Hoare be desir'd to pay what Money
he has in his hands towards buying ye necessarys for
the East India Mission

18 6. The Thanks of ye Society be given to ye Direct.rs of ye East Ind.a
27 Co for Permitting ye Things design'd for ye Mission to
go freight free

Dec 2 7. Order'd to Insure 600 l.s on board ye Stafford

32 8 Sr Jno Philipps pays Mr Watts 4 Guineas being ye last Quart.rs
Rent for ye Chambers in ye Temple.

33 10 Mr Watts order'd to advance Messrs Bloss & Johnson 40 l.s
on Account.

49 3 Mr Berriman makes a report from Dr Carter's Executors

4 The Contents whereof are approved by the Committee

5 Agreed to lay ye same before ye Society

8. A Letter in French giving a fresh Acct of ye Persecution
in France to be Translated.

16 10. The said Account order'd to be publish'd in ye News Papers
38 Resolutions taken on ye Affair of Dr Carter's Legacy

39 13 Mr Watts empowred either to lett ye Chambers in ye Temple
at 12 l.s p Ann or dispose of them for 60 l.s

1 16 Repairs of ye said Chambers amounting to 17 l.s 12..0 ord.d to be p

23 2:2 Further Resolutions made as to ye obtaining of Dr Carter's
40 Legacy.

4 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 13 Jany

Benefactions to ye Society's Genl. Desig

	£ s d
Revd. Dr. Osborn Rect. of Clifton Bedfordsh.	1.1.0
Mr. Peter Dobree Senr. Mercht. in London at Adm.n	1.1.0
A Lady sent by The Revd. Mr. Green of Derby	2.2.0
Part of ye Produce of a Legacy from a Person desiring to be unknown by Jno. Thorold Esq.	5.5.0
Her Grace the Dutchess of Somersett by the Revd. Mr. Watson of Petworth	2.2.0
Revd. Mr. Lunn Rect. of Denton Kent	1.1.0
Revd. The Dean of York	3.3.0
Mrs. Fitzherbert by hands of the Revd. Mr. Green of Derby	0.10.6
Mr. Alderman Dennison of Leeds Yorksh.	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. Profesr. Chappelow	1.1.0
A Person desiring to be unknown by Mr. Hett in ye Poultry	2.2.0
M.A.D.D.	1.1.0
Mr. Jno. Thornton Mercht. in London	1.1.0
Mr. Peter Dobree Junr. Mercht. in London	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. Negus at Rotherhith	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. A.D. Potter at Admission	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. Waterhouse Rect. of Langley in Kent	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. Parry Rect. of Shipston upon Stower Worcestsh.	1.1.0
Revd. Mr. Talbot Fellow of Clare hall Cambridge at Admn.	1.1.0
Mr. Nat. Townsend at Admission	1.1.0
Mr. Howard on the Bridge	1.1.0
Three Ladys, viz. Mrs. Mary Fry, Mrs. Martha Kent & Mrs. Jane Kempe half a Guinea Each	1.11.
Revd. Mr. Lloyd Vicr. of Epping Essex	1.
Revd. Dr. Troughear of the Isle of Wight } both by Dr. Bearcroft	1.1.0
A Person desiring to be unknown } both by Dr. Bearcroft	1.1.0
Henry Salway Esq. at Elton Salop	1.1.0

Books & Papers presented to ye Society

18 5. 6 Bp of Worcester's Thanksgiving Sermon a Present from ye Autho

29 50 Mr Saywell's Treatise on Confirmation a Present from Dr Thorpe at Stroud

25 2. 25 Revd Mr Pennington's Thanksgiving Sermon a Present from the Author
30

Dec 2 11. 25 Copies of Mr Dobree's Tract upon ye Holy Sacrament a Present from the Author
33

16 6 A few Copies of Sermons & Papers concerning ye County Hospital at Northampton a Present from ye Govrs
37

38 8 100 Extracts of Lres to Methodists & Moravians a Present from Jno Thorold Esqr

23 1. 200 Prints of Pastor Aaron a further Present from Lady Huntingdon
40

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers

Dec 2 3 French Translation of the Bp of Man's Instruction for the Indians
32

16 7. A Dissuasive from Stealing by The Revd Mr White
37

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of The Society

Nov 4 11 5000 Ch Catechisms in Welch at ye Request of The Revd Mr Gr. Jones
23/24

Dec 9 1. 1000 Proposals for employing Ch Children in Work
34

A List of Books given away by ye Society

Octr 2 1 12 Sermons at the funeral of ye Earl of Rochester to Dr Regis

Nov 25 3 6 Com: Prayrs &c & a few Copies of ye Address to Prisoners for Debt, to The Revd Mr Villette for ye use of White Chappel Prison
30

Dec 9 5 50. Address to ye Methodists to the Revd Mr Vaughan at Lemster
35

16 6. 12 Dr Lavington's Sermon to the Govrs of the Hospital at Northampton
37

An Abstract of the Proceedings of ye Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge for One Quarter from Tuesday 13th Jany 1746. to Tuesday 31st March 1747.

Chairmen this Quarter

Dr Jenner
Mr Smalbo
Mr Ridley

Charity Schools reported to be erecte

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Subscribing Members chos

Jany 13 41 4 William Gibson M.A. Archdeacon of Eſsex
Febry 3 52 6 Revd Mr Ridley Minist. of Poplar
Mar: 3 59 3. Mr Nicolas Trevanion of Windsor

Corresponding Members chos

Jany 13 42 5 Revd Mr Evans Mast. of ye free Gramar Sch. at Wyndham Norf
Febry 3 52 6. Revd Mr Bunbury Vicar of Brampton Huntingdon
Mar: 3 59 3. Revd Mr Howlett, Vicar of Rampton Nottingham

Miscellaneous Reports.

Jany 13 42 8 A Comee appointed to aſsist Dr Cartons Exors in recovering a Legacy left by the Dr to this Society.

20 44 4 Mr A.D. Denne is desird to pay Meſsrs Bloſs & Johnson a Bill for Paper for ye Welch Bible amounting to £69..17..3 as also to pay Mr Olivers two Bills, viz £2.10.0 for 1/2 Years Rent of a Warehouse, & 1.0.10 for binding Books

27 2 The Bp of St Davids appointed to preach ye Ann

47 3 A Motion to Print a List of ye Preachers from the beginning & annex it to ye Ann. Sermon

Febry 3 8 To send an Annual Packet to Messrs Punderson [illegible] Jones

52

53 7 The Motion about Printing ye Preachers Names confirm'd

10 4 Mr Sydenham returns ye Thanks of ye Trustees of ye Charity schools to ye Society & desires the Continuance of their favour

54

– 6 The Articles of Agreement between this Society & Dr Carters Heir at Law, read & approved.

– 7 The same to be enter'd in ye Book of Extracts of Wills

– 8 Dr Denne reports that Dr Carters Exors had Transferr'd to ye Treasurer £295.5.11 in New S. S. Annuitys, as also £110 Bank Stock

17 4 Mr Terrick's Proposal of depositing a Sum of Money, ye Interest of which to be applyed Annually, towards purchasing Bibles, Com: Pray. books &c.a on the Terms of the Society, & be sent to Bradford in Wilts

56

– 7. Mr Archd. Denne is desir'd to pay Messrs Bloss & Co 118.13.6 for Paper for ye Welch Bible

24 9 Mr Hetherington's Motion for an Addition to be made ~~in~~ to the Prayers used by the Society at their Meeting, with respect to the prodigious Growth of Popery

58

– 10 Unanimously referr'd to the Society

Mar: 4 7. Mr Terrells Proposal of ye 15 Febry agreed to.

60 8. Mr Hetherington's Motion approved & Confirm'd.

61 9 A Comee appointed to Audit ye Accts of ye Society.

10 7. Mr Edwards's report concerning ye Security to be given to ye the Heir at Law, of the late Dr Carter.

62

17 3. Mr Archd. Denne reports that he had Recd a years Rent for Lands in Romney Marsh

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Benefactions to the Societys Genl Designs

Revd Mr Newcome Dean of Rochester		3.3.0
Revd Mr Doughty's Ministr of St James's Clerkenwell at Admission		1.1.0
A Lady des: to be unknown	both Benefacrs by Mr Tucker	1.1.0
A Clergyman Ditto		1.1.0
Revd Mr Waring Lectr of St Mildred in ye Poultry		1.1.0
Revd Mr Lord of Wilmington Sussex at Admission		3.3.0
Richd Wilson Esqr Recorder of Leeds Yorks		5.5.0
A gentlewoman des: to be unknow by the Revd Dr Hales		5.5.0
Revd Mr Baxter Rectr of St Mary Steps Exon		2.2.0
Revd Mr Hugh Yard Rect. of Ashton Devon		2.2.0
The Rt Honble The Lord Viscount Digby		20.0.0
Revd Mr Francis Huysh of Clisthydon Devon		1.1.0
Revd Mr Southern Vicr of Cardington Salop		2.2.0
A Person des: to be unkn: by The Revd Mr Taylor at Clifton		3.3.0
Revd Mr Ridley Ministr of Poplar at Admission		1.1.0
Revd Mr A.D. Gibson at Admission		1.1.0
Lady Palmer of Carlton Northamptons		1.1.0
Revd Mr Thomas Roberts		1.1.0
Mrs Hester Palmer		10.6
Mrs Conte		1.1.0
Three Gentlemen Unknown		3.3.0
Two Ladys Ditto		2.2.0
Mrs Wacker		1.11.6
Mrs Bewicke		3.3.0
A Person Unknown		1.1.0
Revd Mr Fenwick Rect of Hallaton Leicesters		2.2.0
Revd Mr Bunbury Vicr of Brampton Huntingdons at Admiss.		1.1.0
Mr Nicolas Trevanion of Windsor at Admission		1.7.–
Revd Mr Welles of Bresbury Glocesters		1.1.0
Revd Mr Collings of St Erth Cornwall		1.1.0

Rev. Mr. Drake Vic. of Scamblesby Lincolns. … 1.1.0
Rev. Mr. Dalton f hands of the Rev. Mr. Drake … 0.10.6
Mrs. Sarah Johnson by The Rev. Mr. Berriman — 1.1.0

Benefactions to ye East Ind.a Mission

Mrs. Lloyd of the Salt Office — — — … 2.2.–
The Lady of Chr. Cock Esqr. of Covent Garden … 2.2.–
Miss Durich Clarke of Shoreham … 5.5.–
Revd. Mr. Perronet Vic. of Shoreham in Kent — 5.5.–
A Clergyman near Midhurst, Sussex, ℓ Revd. Mr. Wilson of Cocking 2.2.–

Books & Papers presented to ye Soc.

[illegible] 641 1. 12 Nature & Necessity of Catechising, by a Divine of ye Ch. of Engd. a Present from Dr. Hartley of Bath
– 3 50 Further Acct. of the Circulating Welch Ch. Schools from Michas 1745, to Michs 1746. a Present from Mr. Thorold
27 47 4. 100 Dissuasive from Stealing, a Present from The Revd. Mr. White of Holton

Books & Papers admitted to be dispersd

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

A List of Books given away by Order of the Society

[illegible] 42 7. 300 Souldiers Monitors to Col. Hudson to take with him to Flanders.
[illegible] 61 6. 50. Childs Christian Education to ye Trustees of ye Ch. Schools

An Abstract of the Proceedin of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge for One Quarter from Tuesday 31 March to Tuesday 30 June 1747

Chairmen this Quarter Mr Doughty
Dr Bearcroft
Mr Sydenham

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Workhouses reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

April 7. p.66 2

Subscribing Members chose

12 Revd Mr Linton Vic. of Frieston Lincolnsh.
Revd Mr Lyddell Vicar of Wakehurst in Sussex
May 5. 74 2 Paul Humfrey of Gatton Park in Surry Esqr

Corresponding Members chose

April 7. 66 12 Revd Mr Jno Rogers of Warminster Wilts
Revd Mr Hartley of Winwick Northamptonsh.
May 5. 74 3. Revd Mr Ashcroft Rect. of Meppal Bedfords.
Revd Mr Monnoux Rector of Sandy —— Do.

Miscellaneous Reports

[illegible] 31. 1. Ten Pounds from the Lord Bp of Oxford towards releasing poor Debtors
April 7. 14 A Day appointed for Auditing the Societys Accounts
15 The Anniversary Meeting of the Society fixed
20. Directions about Building the Scaffolds at Christ Church for the Accommodation of the Charity Children

24 6 Agreed to Adjourn to the Tuesday after Easter Week
70 28 3 Mr A.D. Denne is ordered to pay a Bill for Paper for the
72 4 Welch Bible amounting to 76.7.6
– 5. Report of the Auditors &c.
May 5 4. Report of the Anniversary Sermon
74 6. Mr Oliver's Agreement for Printing the same
– 7. The Account of the Society referr'd to Dr Denne's Perusal & Correction before it be Printed
75 10. Bill of Expences at the Anniversary Meeting of the Charity Children ordered to be paid
– 11 An Abstract of the Society's Proceedings for the last Year ordered to be prepared — The same ordered to be read 12 May
12 7. Mr Welson's Agreement wth ye Society for Paper to Print the
76 Anniversary Sermon upon
19 5 Report of the Collection at the Anniversary Meeting
78 6. The Application of that Charity
26 4 Great Importance of a Religious Life (in Welch) referr'd
80 to Mr Morris
June 9 1. Some Proposals for Erecting English Ch. Schools in all ye Parishes
82 of England, for the Benefit of the Poor, were laid before the Board, and referr'd to a Comee
– 6 An order for Circulating the Anniversary Sermon
– 8. Agreed to Adjourn to ye Tuesday after Whitsun Week
16 9 The Proposals for Erecting English Ch. Schools were read, and
85 wth some Amendments approved
The same recommended to the Society to be Printed & dispersed

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Benefactns to ye Society's Genl. Designs

Apl 7	1.	Mrs Lovesey by The Revd Mr Bunbury Vicr of Rampton	1.1.–
65		Revd Mr Evans of Wyndham Norfolk	0.10.6
		Revd Mr Hatfield at Lilley Herts	1.1.–
		Chr: Goulter by Mr Alderman Davies of Beverley	1.1.–
		Revd Mr Meave by Do	0.10.6
		Revd Mr Clarke by Do	1.1.–
		A Gentlewoman Unknown by Do	5.–
		Mr Hyde of Beverley	10.6
		Revd Mr Atken by Mr Parker	10.6
	5	William Dunster of Layton Stone Esqr	10.10.–

66.	16	Charles Gray of Colchester Esqre	1.1
		Part of a Legacy left for Charitable Uses by John Stafford Esqr	5.0.0
14 70	3	Robt North of Scarborough Esqre	1.2.6
25 71	1	Saml Clarke of Ormond Street Esqr	5.5
		Revd Mr Beeke of Kings Teignton Devon	10.6
		Revd Mr Hill by Mr Gell of Weston	2.2.0
		Revd Mr Hartley of Winwick Northamptonsre	1.1.0
		Revd Mr Waterhouse Rectr of Langley in Kent	1.1.0
		Paul Humphrey Esqre	1.1.0
		Revd Mr Adams of Wintringham	0.10.6
		Revd Mr Rogers of Warminster Wilts	1.1
		Two Clergymen desiring to be Unknown by the hands of The Revd Dr Osborn of Flitton Bedfordsre	2.2.0
		Revd Mr Linton of Fiskerton Lincolnsre	1.1.0
		Revd Mr Haddon of Warrington Lancasre	1.1.0
		Mrs Catmore of Londo	1.1.0
		Mrs Eliz: Thorold	5.0.0
		Revd Mr Davies Archdeacon of St Davids	2.2.0

Benefactions to ye East India Mission

Mr Geo: Scullard of London	5.5
Ld Bp of Gloucester	5.5
Revd Mr Ridley of Poplar	1.1
Mr Demero of Elton & his two Daughters	2.2
Revd Mr Davies A.D. of St Davids	2.2

Benefactions for Confined Debtors

An Unknown hand by the Bp of Oxford	10.0.0

Books & Papers Presented to the Society

25 Annual Acct of St Georges Hospital a Present from the Governors

30. Copies of a Book entitled the Blessings of Christian Philosophy, a Present from Dr Arthur St George

9 79 7. 100 Bp of Lincolns Sermon before ye Society for Propagation of the Gospel a Present from the Society

12 Copies of a Tract, entitled, Some Reflections on Original Sin &c. by Mr Perronet Vicar of Shoreham in Kent a Present from the Author

June 16 84 7. 6 Annual Accts of the Infirmary at Westmr. a Present from the Governors.

23 86 3 40 Annual Accts of the Infirmary at Westmr. a Present from the Governors

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

April 7 69 2d The Cambridge Com: Prayer Nonpl.

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

April 7 69 21 5000 Hymns for the Charity Children

May 5 74 5. 1500 Copies of the Bp of St Davids Sermon before the Trustees of the Charity Schools

1500 Acct of the Society to be Annex'd

A List of Books given away by Order of the Society

April 20 76 2 25 Publick Housekeepers Monr. 25 Sermons at ye funeral of the Earl of Rochester to The Revd Mr Parfect

Nov. 26 2 1 Bible, 1 New Testamt. 1 Childs Xtian Education, 3 Lessons for Children, to Mr Bourdillon for a Poor family

June 2 81 7. The Anniversary Sermon & Acct. to all the Members of the Society & to the Benefactors.

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge for One Quarter from Tuesday 30 June to Tuesday 6 October 1747.

Chairmen this Quarter

Mr Thornton Junr
Mr Bluett
Mr Thornton Senr

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Aug.t 1. 94 25. Rev.d Dr Morgan late Rect.r of Ross in Herefords.e 50-0-0

Subscribing Members chose

4. 4 Robt Thornton of Clapham Esqr
Sep.r 1. 92 8 Rev.d Mr Persehouse of Barnes in Surry.

Corresponding Members chose

July 2. ~~100~~ 7. Rev.d Mr Baker Rect.r of Heddenham Norfolk
Rev.d Mr Cremer Vicar of Wyndham —— D.o
Rev.d Mr Neale Vicar of Great Gidding Huntingdons.e
Rev.d Mr Draper Chaplain to the Lord Viscount Irwin
Rev.d Mr Fowler Curate of Waltham Abbey
Sep.r 1. 100 8. Rev.d Mr Gibson Vicar of Biggleswade Bedfords.e
Rev.d Mr Dumaresque Chaplain to the British Factory in Russia
22. 103 8. Jn.o Hind Esq.r Gov.r of Fort St David
Rev.d Mr Fordice Chaplain at D.o
Rev.d Mr Gurdon of Bures Suffolk

Miscellaneous Reports

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7. 3 Agreed to Print & disperse the Proposals for Erecting English Schools in all the Parishes of England, for ye benefit of ye Poor.
89

90 14 2. Jno Oliver's two Bills viz for Rent of a Warehouse 2.10.– & for binding Books 1.3.– order'd to be paid

91 21 2 motion for printing 2000 copies of Dr Gibsons Letter, in favour of the Socy.

Aug 4 6. The Accounts of Charity Schools, recd from ye Members to be laid before the Trustees
93

(7 Agreed to Adjourn to the last Tuesday in August

Sepr 8. 2. List of Debtors released out of the Marshalsea & White Chappel Prisons by the Charitable Gift of ye late Dugal Campbel Esqr & other Benefactions laid before ye Society
99

101 15 2. Letters were read from Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia Mr Kiernander at Cudulore, & the Danish Missionaries at Tranquebar.

Their Journals accompanying the said Letters, to be read again in November

104 29. 2. A Bill of 8s. 9d for binding some Books order'd to be paid

Benefactions to ye Genl. Designs

Revd Mr Cremer at Wyndham Norfolk	1.1.–
Revd Mr Smith Rectr of Bushey Herts	4.4.–
Revd Mr Newcomen of Boreham Essex	1.1.–
A Gent. at Hadley in Suffolk desiring to be Unknown	1.1.–
Revd Mr Dean Rectr of Woolhampton Berks	1.1.–
Revd Mr Bailey Rectr of Wrentham Suffolk	1.1.–
A Gent. Unknown by The Revd Mr Watson at Petworth	10.6
Revd Mr Hildesley of Hitchin Herts	1.1.–
Revd Mr Godley of Ditto	1.1.–
A Gent Unknown	2.11.–
Revd Mr Cookson at Leeds Yorksh.	1.1.–
Revd Mr Lyddel Rectr of Wakehurst Sussex	2.2.–
Revd Mr Fowler of Waltham Abbey	1.1.–
Revd Dr Burnet at Westkington Glocestersh.	2.2.–
A Lady Unknown by the Revd Mr Green of Derby	2.2.–

147	Rev.d Mr Biron of Northill Bedfordsh.re	1.16.0
	Robt Thornton Esq.r	1.1.0
	Rev.d Mr Baker of Heddenham Norfolk	.10.6
	A Gentlewoman Unknown by The Rev.d Mr Tucker	1.1.0
	Rev.d Dr Sharpe Prebendary of Durham	2.2.0

Books & Papers presented to ye Society

4.30 p.87 2 200 Copies of Dr Thomas's Sermon before ye Society Corresponding to that in Dublin for Promoting English Protestant Schools. a Present from ye Society

3 25 Copies of [illegible] Hartley's Visitation Sermon

25 94 3 100 Copies of a Tract entitled the Sin & Danger of neglecting the Publick Service of the Church plainly set forth a Present from his Grace the late Arch Bp of Canterbury

24 Copies of the A Bp of Yorks Sermon before the Gov.rs of the London Infirmary, a Present from ye Gov.rs

25 Copies of a Tract entitled An Affectionate address to the People called Quakers by the Rev.d Mr Perronet a Present from the Author

Books & Papers admitted to be dispersed

Sep.r 22 103. 6. The Great Importance of a Religious Life in the Welch Language at 3d Single or 36s p hundred

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

July 7 3 2000 Copies of a Proposal for Erecting English Charity Schools

89 21 2. 2000 Copies of the Bp of London's Letter to the Clergy of his Diocese together wth the List of Books in the Society's Catalogue.

28 5 5000 Copies of the Collect for the 2d Sunday in Advent.

22 7. 2000 Papers ag Drunkenness.

Books & Papers given away by Order of the Society

Sept 25 4 p.94 — 40 Lewis's Catechism 12 Childs Christian Education to The Rev.d Mr Linton at Wrinton

Sept 1 5 100 — A Packet of Bibles Common Prayer Books & Testam.ts to the Value of 40s for Mr Parsons at Wedingham

15 4 101 — 12 Copies of an Affectionate Address to Prisoners for Debt to Mr Wancopp.

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 6 Octb.r to Tuesday 12 Jan.ry 1747/8.

Chairmen this Quarter

Mr Bouadillon
Mr Bromsall
Mr Ziegenhagen

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Nov 3 11 111 — Rev.d Mr Bridges late of Gotham . . . [illegible]

10 2. 112 — The Worshipfull Dr Andrew Late of Dr.s Comons 100.0.0

Subscribing Members chose

Nov 3 3 109 — Rev.d Dr Rook Master of Christ College Cambridge

Dec 1 2 116 — Rev.d Mr Robinson of Pocklington Yorks.

8 117 — Dr Osborn Rect.r of Clifton Bedford s.

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Corresponding Members chose

Revd Mr Thurlow Vicar of Thurston Norfolk
Revd Mr Osborn Rect. of New Timber Sussex
Revd Mr Thompson of Monmouth County in New Jersey

Miscellaneous Reports

Octr 6 8 A report from the Vice Chancellor of Cambridge by Dr Dan
104 that the University Warehouse was full and desiring that
such Sheets of the Welch Bible as were finished might
be sent for.

– 9. The Vice Chancellor is desired to provide a Warehouse at Cambridge
till the whole Impression be finished.

105 10 Mr A.D Denne offers his Assistance to the Society in distributing
11 some good Books out of ye Mr Belkes Charity: wch the Society
– thankfully accepts.

– 12 A report of the Death of Henry Hastings Esqr. One of the
Society's Treasr. and an Offer of that Office made to Mr
13 3 Gosling. Mr Gosling accepts the same, & has ye Societys Thanks
107

27 1 The Colleges at Copenhagen requests that Ambrose now a Catechist
109 at Cudulore may be sent to Tranquebar to supply ye place
of Pastor Aaron Deceased.

– 5. The Society complys to their Request, on Condition that a Catechist
be sent to Cudulore in ye room of Ambrose.

Novr 3 6. A Gentleman appears in behalf of Mr Hastings's Wid.o in order
111. to pay a Balance due to the Society of £7. 17. 0

– 7. Mr Gosling is desired to receive that Sum, and give a Discharge
in the Name of the Society

– 8 Mr Dod ordered to Acquaint the Society before he reprints any
Book upon their Catalogue

– 9. Mr Dod has leave to reprint the 2 first Vol. of Ostervals Argumts

p.113 10. 4 Letters were read from Mr Professr. Callenberg at Hall in Germany
and Mr Polier at Lausanne see ye 1st Minute of Dec 8.

Decr. 22 5. Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday 12 Jany
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Benefactions to the General Designs

Rd Mr Persehouse of Barns in Surry	1.1.0
Theophilus Lane of Hereford Esqr	1.1.0
A Gentn Unknown by the Rd Mr Mellone	1.1.0
Rd Mr Swinton at Knutsford	..10.6
Rd Mr Baxter of Exeter	1.1.0
Rd Mr Hugh Ford of Ashton Devon	1.1.0
Rd Mr Woods of Wilford Nottinghamsre	1.1.0
Bryan Blundell of Leverpoole Esqr	2.5.0
Mrs Fitzherbert	..10.6
Rd Mr Punderson at Grotton in New England	..15.—
M. A. D.D.	1.1.0
Rd Mr Deane Rector of Woolhampton Berks	1.1.—
Rd Mr Waterhouse Rectr of Langley Kent	1.1.—
Henry Salway of Elton Salop Esqr	1.1.—
Rd Mr Mason of Hull	1.1.—
Rd Mr Pigot of Harmsworth Middx	1.1.—
Rd Mr Osborn Rectr of New Timber Sussex	1.1.—
Rd Mr Marshall of Allesley Warwicksr	2.2.—
Rd Mr Luck of Brightlingsea Essex	..10.6
Rd Mr Pennington of Huntingdon	1.1.0
Rd Dr Osborn Rector of Clifton Bedfordsr	1.1.0
Rd Mr Ault of Arlsey Do	1.1.—
Rd Mr Dumaresque Chaplain to the Factory in Russia	1.1.—
Mrs Lloyd of the Salt Office	1.1.—
Rd Mr Thoresby Rectr of Stoke Newington	1.1.—
Rd Mr Lunn Rectr of Denton Kent	1.1.0
Rd Dr Troughere Minister of Denton Kent	1.1.0
A Gent. Unknown by Mr Gell of Westmr	1.7.0

Benefactions to the East India Mission

Mr James Mace of Spital Fields	2.2.—
Rd Dr Ayerst Prebendary of Canterbury	1.1.—
Mrs Lloyd of the Salt Office	1.1.—

Books &c Presented to the Society

Octr 13 2 6 Copies of the Statutes and Bye Laws of ye Gov^{rs} of
p.107 the Hospital for Poor French Protestants a
Present from Mr Bourdillon

20. 1. 40 Copies of D^r St Georges Treatise on y^e [illegible]
108 a Present from the L^d Bp of London

Decr 8 3 6 Copies of an Account of the Hospital at Northampton
118 6 Copies of a Sermon preached before the Gov^{rs} by the
Revd Dr Bishop a Present from the Gov^{rs}

Books & Papers admitted to be dispersed

Books & Papers bought & Printed by order of the Society

Books & Papers given away by order of the Society

Octr 20 3 20 Plausible Argum^{ts} of a Romish Priest answered
108 for St Georges Hospital

27 3 A Packett of Com: Prayer Books value 30^s to the
109 Revd Mr Thompson at New Jersey

Novr 17 3 25 Soldiers Monitor to the Secretary
114

Decr 1 5 20 Plausible Argum^{ts} &c to Mr Bromsale
117 6 Bibles 8vo to Westm^r Infirmary
1 Com: Prayer 8vo fr Mr Bourdillon

22 4 A Packet value 50^s to the Revd Mr Prince going
120 Missionary to the Mosquito Indians

An Abstract of ye Proceedings of ye Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 12 January to Tuesday 29 March 1748

Chairmen this Quarter

Mr Dobree
Mr Vernon
Mr Stehelin

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Workhouses reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Mar: 22 1 | p. 135 Mrs Catherine Parker late of East Norton Leicestershire . . . . } 50. 0. –

Subscribing Members chose

Febry 2: 6 | 127 Rd Mr Peter Stehelin
Mar: 1. 5. James Best of Chatham Esqr

Corresponding Members chose

Febry 2. 7. | 127 Rd Mr Harrington of Virginia
Rd Mr Foote Rectr of Yoxall Staffordsh:
Mar: 1. 5. | 130 Rd Mr Clarke Rector of West Dereham
Rd Mr Owen of Broadwell Glocestersh:
Rd Mr Warde Minister of Roehampton Chappel

Miscellaneous reports

Jan: 12. 9 | 123 Mr A. D. Denne desir'd to pay J Oliver two Bills amounting to 3. 11. 4

Febry 2 12. | 127 Mr A. D. Denne desir'd to Advance out of Mrs Palmers Legacy 150 to pay the Salaries of the three Missionaries at Fort St George.

Feby 13 0 A deposit of a Moiety of 200 from Dr Hanch, & 100
127. from Mr Ziegenhagen for the Service of ye English Mission

— 15 An order for securing the Silver and Presents for India in
One of the Publick Offices

128 9 4.5 Mr A. D. Doome desired to pay Mr Pidens Bill of 13.4.0
for the Sale of Dr Carters Estate

129 16 6 Thanks orderd to the Directors of the East India Company
120. for Permitting the Societys Effects to go freight free

Mar: 1 7. Mr Hoare desired to Advance what Money he has in his
132 hands for the East India Mission

133 8 1. A Letter was read from Mr Bolzius at Ebenezer in Georgia, giving
some Account of himself and his People

137 29 4 The Trustees of the Charity Schools return their thanks to this Socy for former aid.
5 Directions for building ye Scaffolds at ye [illegible]

Benefactions to the General Designs

Part of Dr Carters Legacy	340.. 19. 3 1/2
Rd Mr Mansfield at Allesley Warwicksr	2.. 2.. 0
Rd Mr Lloyd of Epping in Essex	1.. 1.. 0
Rd Mr Robinson of Pocklington Yorksr	1. 1. 0
A Clergyman desiring to be Unknown by Dr Cartwright	2.. 2. 0
Rd Mr Godley of Hitchin Herts	2.. 2. 0
Rd Mr Hildesley of Ditto	1.. 1. 0
An Unknown hand	.. 5..
Rd Mr Wise of Harlow Essex	1. 1.
Rt Honble the Countess of Hertford	1.. 1..
Lady Betty Smithson	1. 1.
Rd Mr Southern of Hardington Salop	1. 1
Mr Robt Pinson of Clapgate	1. 1
Mr J. J. H. by the Secry	1. 1
Rd Mr Foote Rector of Yoxall Staffordsr	1. 1
Rd Dr Rooke at Admission	1.. 1..
a Person Unknown by Mr Cartwright of Worcester	6.. ..
Rt Honble the Lord Viscount Windsor	10.. 10
a Person desiring to be Unknown by Sir Jno Thorold	5.. ..
Humphrey Pudner of Canterbury Esqr	1.. 1
Exect of the late Bryan Pepper Esqr of Dover	1. 1
Unknown by the Revd Mr Taylor of Clifton near Bristol	3.. 3
Rd Mr Stehelin at Admission	1.. 1
Unknown by Dr Hales	5.. 5

Benefactions to ye East Ind:a Mission

A Person desiring to be Unknown by The Revd Mr Lemon of Kirkstead } 1.1.–

Rt Hon.ble The Lord Viscount Windsor —— 10.10.–

Benefactions to the Saltzburghers

1747 Jan. 12 122 | 4 | A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unknown —— 1.1.–

Books & Papers presented to the Society

Jan.y 12 122 | 1 | 12 Copies (in Latin) of an Account of ye E. I. Mission from Dr Francke

— | 3 | 100 More Copies of the Sin & Danger of neglecting Publick Worship, from Bp of Lincoln

50 Farther Acct of the Circulating Welch Charity Schools to Michas 1747.

12 Copies of a Sermon on the Mortality among ye Cattle

Feby 23 130 | 4 | 100 Country Parson's last Advice to his Parishioners from Dr Sneyd.

Mar: 29 135 | 3. | 6 Copies of the Christian Philosopher – a Present from Dr Robinson

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

Mar: 1 130 | 8 | Leave given to Mr Dod to Print Mr Ellesby's Caution agt Ill Company @ 1d/2 single & 10 ₽ 100

A List of Books given away by order of the Society

Feby 9 128 | 3 | A Packet of 20s value to the Revd Mr Edwards of Hampsted

23 130 | 3. | 100 Seamens Monitor to the Revd Mr Warrington

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, from Tuesday 29 March to Tuesday 28 June 1748

Chairmen this Quarter Sr Jno Thorold
Dr Denne
Mr A D. Yardley

Charity Schools reported to be erected

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Subscribing Members chose

Rev Mr Julius Deeds Prebendary of Canterbury
Revd Mr Francis Muriell of Maidston Kent
Revd Mr A D. Yardley
Mr Claude Basanquet Mercht in London.
Rd Mr Knight
Richd Morgan of Mortlake Esqr
John Horne Esqr
Rev Mr Trotter Rect. of Gravely Cambridgeshire

Corresponding Members chose

6 Rev Mr Thos Long Rectr of Tinmere Bucks
1748 Revd Mr Jno Blith Curate of Coleshill Warwicks

Miscellaneous Reports

Mar: 29 p. 136 4. Trustees of the Charity Schools thank the Society for their past favours, & desire the Continuance of them

— 5 Directions given for building the Scaffolds at Christ Church removed

Ap. 5 .5. A Comee appointed to meet Dr Carters Exors &c

138 6 The Audit appointed

7. Auditors named

139 9 The following words order'd to be pasted upon the Books and Tracts dispersed by the Society viz. From the Society for Promoting Xtian Knowledge

11 Something of the same kind recommended to the Comee for the Welch Bibles

— 12 Agreed to Adjourn to the Tuesday after Easter Week

19 142 7. Agreed to reconsider the 7 Minute of 5 April

26 143 3 A Tract entitled Sin and Danger of Neglecting the Publick Service recommended by three Subscribing Members as a proper Book to be taken upon the Catalogue

May 3 144 1 Report of the Society's Auditors

146 2. Thanks given to them and the Treasurer.

147 6. The Minute of 5 April ordering that ye following Words [viz from the Society for Promoting Xtn Knowledge] should be pasted on the Books dispersed by the Society dismiss'd

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7 Report of the Anniversary Sermon

147 2 9 Mr Oliver agrees to Print the Sermon & Acct at [illegible]

– 10. Mr A. D. Dearne desir'd to peruse and correct the Accts
before it be published

148 11. The Day for the Society's Anniversary Meeting fixed

– 12 Abstract of the Society's Proceedings for the last Year
order'd to be prepared

10 1 The Affair of Dr Carter's Legacy finished

149 2. Thanks order'd to the Editors

17 3 Mr Wilson agrees to serve the Society wth Paper for Printing
150 the Anniversary Sermon at 10/ p Ream

– 4 Dr Dearne desired to pay the Bill of Expences at the
Anniversary Meeting of the Charity Children Amounting
to £19" 9"

6 Abstract of the Society's Proceedings for ye last Yr. to be read
at the Anniversary Meeting of the Society

24 1. An Acct of the Rect of part of the Produce of Willingham
152 Estate

– 2 A Gratuity of a Guinea to be paid to be Mr Comyn
for keeping the Accts

155 8 Report of the Collection at the Anniversary Meeting
& 10s of Dr Pelling's £ 9 for Poor Debtors

– 10 List of Persons to be relieved out of the Aforesaid
Collection

154 11 Agreed to Adjourn to Tuesday after Whitson Week

June 14 4 The Secry to have leave to release Geo: New out of ye Fleet
158

21 4 Mr Hood according to Order informing the Comee that
160 Dr Woodward's Tracts agt Gaming was out of Print

– 3 Referred to Mr A. L. Yardley for his Correction

Benefactions to the Society
General Designs

				£	s	d
Mar: 29 135	3	Rd Mr Hatfield Rectr of Lilley Herts		1	1	–
		Rd Mr Mitchel Rectr of Graffham Sussex		1	1	–
		Mr Hollist of Lodsworth by Mr Wilson of Hacking		"	5	–
		Rd Mr Parry Rectr of Shipston Worcestersr		1	1	–
		Rd Mr Owen of Broadwell Gloucestr		1	1	–
		A Clergyman Unknown by Mr Tucker of Bris		1	10	6
		Rd Mr Rogers of Warmister Wilts		"	10	6
		Mr Alderman Dennyson of Leeds Yorks		1	1	–
		A Gentleman Unknown		5	5	–
		Rd Mr Gibson of Biggleswade Bedfordr		"	10	6
		Rd Mr Professr Chappelow		1	1	–
		Some Persons Unknown by Mr Leman of Kirks		2	2	–
		James Best of Chatham Esqr		1	1	–
		Saml Clarke of Ormond Street Esqr		5	5	–
		Rd Mr Williams of Brecon		2	2	–
		Rd Mr Dean Rectr of Woolhampton Berks		1	1	–
		Rd Mr Drake of Swinderby Lincolnsr		1	1	"
		Mr Alderman Drake of Lincoln		1	1	–
		Rd Mr Dalton of So Scarle Nottinghamsr		"	10	6
apl 19 135	1	Lady Palmer	1"1"0			
		Two Ladies Unknown	1"1"0			
		Thos Wilson Esqr	1"1"0			
		Mrs Esther Palmer	1.1.0			
		Mrs Carte	1"1"0			
		Three Gentlemen Unknown	3"3.0			
		Two Gentlewoman Ditto	2"2.0			
		Mrs Berwick	3-0.0			
		Rd Mr Fenwick who remitts ye Benefn	2.2.0	15	12	–
	2	Robt North of Scarborough Esqr		2	2	–
		Rd Mr Salivey of Worcester		2	2	–
		A Country Clergyman by the Secry		1	1	"

	1	Residue of Dr Carter's Legacy	95	4	6
149.		Chris: Goulston Esqr	1	1	–
	17.	Rd Mr Clarke	1	1	–
		Rd Mr Mease	"	10	6
		A Gentlewoman Unknown by Do	2	2	"
		Mrs Hyde	"	10	6
		Rd Mr Trotter of Gravely Cambridgre	1	1	"
		Rd Mr Monoux of Sandy Bedfordsre	1	1	"
		Mr Claude Bosanquet Merchant at Admission	3	3	"
		Mr Roberts by the Rd Mr Fenwick	1	1	"
		Rd Mr E. Wilson of Westmeston Sussex	1	1	"
		Rd Dr Bridges of Southweald Essex	"	10	6
		Ditto for a Person Unknown	"	10	6
		Mr A. D. Yardley at Admission	1	1	"
		Rd Mr Muriel of Maidston at Do	3	3	"
		Ditto a Benefaction	2	2	"
		Rd Mr Deedes Preby of Canterbury	3	3	"
		Rd Mr Knight at Admission	2	2	"
		Rd Mr Baker of Hedenham	"	10	6
		Mrs Mary Fry & 2 other Persons at 10s..6d each	1	11	6
		Rd Mr Ingram of Whichford Warwickshire	1	1	"
		Mrs Gilmore in Forestreet London	1	1	"
		A Lady Unknown	1	1	"
		Mr J Marchant at Edburton Sussex	1	1	"
		Richd Morgan of Mortlake Surry Esqr	1	1	"
		1/4 Part of the Rd Mr Saywells Estate at Willingham from Lady 1744 to Mich. 1746	52	18	6

Benefactions to ye East India Mission

		Rd Mr Barrett of Midhurst Sussex	1	1	"
		Rd Mr Barrell Preby of Rochester	2	2	–

Benefactions to the Saltzburghers

Mar: 29	1.	Messrs Schalkhauser Jungel and Instram Merchts at Venice	15	"	"

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Books & Papers presented to the Society

Ap.l 19 142 | 5. | 25 Copies of the Annual Acct. of St. Geo: Hospital
May 24 153 | 7 | 100 Bp of St Asaphs Sermon before the Society for Prop: of the Gospel &c.
June 7 156 | 7. | 24 Copies of the Revd Mr Thoresby's Sermon before the Trustees for Georgia
| | 40 Acct. of Westmr Infirmary
– | 9 | 50 Christian Soldier a Prest from the Secretary
14 158 | 5. | 25 Copies in French of an Acct. of the Charity School at Lausanne in Swisserland
| | 6 Liturgies used in those Schools

Books & Papers admitted to be dispersed

June 7 157 | 8 | The Childs Christian Education admitted upon the Catalogue Price 5d

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Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of ye Society

Mar: 29 136 | 6 | 5000 Hymns for the use of the Charity Children at their Anniversary Meeting
May 3 147 | 8 | 1500 Copies of the Anniversary Sermon
| | 1500 Do of the Acct. of the Society

Books & Tracts given away &c.

Apl. 5. 139 | 8 | A Bible & Com: Prayer Book to Mr Newey
May 10 149 | 3 | A Bible, Co. Prayr. & Testamt. to the Secretary
| | A Packet value 40s. to Mr Carr one of Dr Carters Exors
June 7 156 | 6 | 12 Arabick Testamts. to Mr Wogan in ye East Indies

An Abstract of the Proceeding of the Society for Promoting Xtian Knowledge from Tuesday 28th June to Tuesday 4 Octr 1748

Chairmen this Quarter { mr Burgenter / mr Bourdillon / mr Morgan

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Gifts & Legacies to the Society

	£	s	d
Worshipful Dr Andrews	100	0	0

Subscribing Members chose

July 5. 2. mr Rd Marchant at Edburton Sussex
p.163 Rd mr Jno Ingram Rectr of Whichford Warwicksh.
Wm Stead M.A. Vicar of Reigate in Surry
Augt. 2. 2. Rd mr Geo: Stephens Canon of Windsor
169. Rd Dr Francis Walwyn Prebry of Canterbury
Sepr. 6. 1 Rd mr Jno Pidding Rectr of Keighly Yorksho
172 Rd mr Jno Goodman Vicar of Mayfield Sussex
Rd Mr James Parr Rectr of Wold Northampton

Corresponding Members chose

July 5. 2 Rd Mr Howell Rect. of Skellan Cardigansho
163 Rd Mr Master of Croston Lancashire
Sepr. 6. 1 Rd Dr King of Cheam in Surry
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Miscellaneous Reports

June 28 p. 161 — 6 A Report from Mr A. D. Yardley, concerning the Alterations wch he thinks necessary to be made in Dr Woodwards Tract agt Gaming

— 8 5 An Order for releiving some Poor Confined Debtors on the Motion of the Secry

July 5 162 — 3 A Comee Summoned to treat about ye Binding of the Welch Bibles

Messrs Dod and Oliver to bring in their Proposals and a Bound Book as a Specimen

— 4 The 2 Maps for the Welch Bible to bee work'd off under the Directn of Mr Overton

164 — 6 Mr Olivers agreement for Printing 15000. Collects for 2d Sunday in Advent in Welch

— 9 7 Mr Watts order'd to paye Mr Oliver £4„14„2½ for Rent and for bindg Books

— 10 8 The Alterations proposed by Mr A. D. Yardley in the Tract agt Gaming approved

— 11 9 Mr Dod has leave to Print ye same wth Alterations

12 163 — 2. 500 Blank Recpts for Packets. Do for Benefacrs Order'd to bee Printed

19 166 — 1 Dr Woodwards Tract upon the Lords Day, being near out of Print, the same was referred to the Perusal of Mr Dobree in Order to a New Impression

— 3 The Alterations made by Dr Denne in the Tract entitled, The Sin and Danger of Neglecting the Publick Service of the Church to be laid before the Society

— 6. An Order made to let Dr Watts have 500 Welch Bibles &c out of the No allotted him

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July 19 167 | 9 Mr Bentham to send up a 1000 more W Bibles from Cambridge

26 168 | 2 Further Report of the Religious and Civil State of the Saltzburghers

Augt 2 170 | 6. An Order for Circulating the Anniversary Sermon
The Society Adjourns to the 30th Inst

Sepr 6 175 | 4 Mr Bentham to send up a 1000 more Copies of W B
5 An Order for the Discharge of Mr Maddox, a Confined Debtor in Ludgate

27 176. | 2 Mr Dobree's Report of the Tract on the Lords Day referred to the Society.

Benefactions to the Gle Designs

Two Ladies Unknown by Saml Torriano Esqr	4..4..0
Mrs Astley	1..1..0
Rd Mr Welles of Prestbury Gloucesters	1..1..0
Rd Mr Welles of Cowley Do	1..1..0
A Gentlewoman by Mr Tucker of Bristol	1..1..0
Rd Mr Parker of Great Rollright Oxon	1..1..0
Rd Mr Cookson of Leeds Yorks	1..1..0
Rd Mr Stead at Reigate Surry	1..1..0
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unkn by Dr Hales	3..3..0
Mr Goodman of Mayfield Sussex at Admission	1..1..0
Rd Mr Gidding of Keighley Yorks Do	1..1..0
Rd Mr Burrough of Chesterfield Derbys	2..2..0

Benefactions to the E. I. Mission

Mr Denors of Windsor & his Daughters	2..2..0
Part of the Produce of a Legacy by Sr J Thorold	5..0..0

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Books & Papers presented to ye Soc.

June 20 / 164 — 2. Old & New Testt. explained by way of Question from Mr Austen

July 19th / 166 — 4 — 100 Copies of a Book entitled Considerations on the State of the World &c. by Mr A D Saw

1st Aug 20 — 1 — 12 Revd Mr Church's Sermon at the Funeral of Mr Cawley

Sep 20 / 176 — 1. — 25 Lord Bp of Bristol's Sermon before the Lond. Infirmary

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

1st Aug 2 / 169 — 4. Sin & Danger of Neglecting the Publick Service of ye Church

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

July 5 / 163 — 5. 15000 Collects for the 2d Sunday in Advent in Welch

Sep 27 / 176 — 1 — 5000 Church Catechisms in Welch for the Rd Mr Go Jones

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society

1st Aug 2 / 169 — 5. 50 Motives and Encouragemts to bear Afflictions Patiently to Mr Bourdillon

Sep 27 / 176 — 3. A Packet value 20s to Mr Parsons at Homnel

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 4th Octr to Tuesday 10 Jany 1748-9.

Chairmen this Quarter { Mr Gosling / Bp of St Asaph / Mr Terrell.

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Mrs Cath: Parker by Wm Wilson Esq ... 50.."–

Subscribing Members chose

Rd Mr Dod of Conington Huntingdonsh.

Corresponding Members chose

Miscellaneous Reports

Oct. 4, p 78. 6. The Alterations made by Mr Dobre in Dr Woodwards Tract on the Lords Day approv'd, Order for Printing it

– 7. Mr Watts order'd to pay Mr Wilsons Bill of £18..16..3 for Paper for the Anniversary Sermon

Miscellaneous Report

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Oct. 25 181.	5	Mr R. D. Yardley's Letter complaining of some abuse in the Sale of W. Bibles referred to the Society.
—	6	A Report from Dr Wilson at Tunbridge Wells about the Produce of some Money deposited in his hands for Welch Bibles
Nov. 1. 183.	7	A List of Debtors discharged out of the Fleet Marshalsea, Ludgate & Burro. Compter
184.	3.	Report of Mrs Blunden's Legacy of £300
185	8	A Stop put to the Sale of the W. Bibles pro tempore
15	3	Report of Mr Godley's Legacy ~~of £50~~
188.	5	Mr Watts order'd to pay Mr Oliver £10 being half of the Expence for Printing 5000 Church Catechisms in Welch
29 190	2	A State of the Acct of the Welch Bibles order'd to be prepared
Dec. 6 191	1	A Lre complaining of bad binding of some of the Welch Bibles referr'd to the Comee
—	4	Report of Letters from the Society's Missionaries at Paliacatte & Cudulore in India
13 193	2	Mr Howells Lre containing some Proposals concerning the future disposal of the Welch Bibles referr'd to the Comee
20	3	A Packet of Books value 50 to be sent to Mr Sunderson as usual
194	4.	The Society Adjourns to 10 January.

Benefactions to the Gl Designs

Rd Mr Dod of Conington Huntingdonre	2	2	
Part of the Residue of a Legacy by Sr J. Thorold	3	3	„
Rd Mr Draper Chaplain to Lord Irwin	1	1	„
A Gentlewoman Unknown by Mr Moore	1	1	„
Bp of St Asaph at Admission	1	1	„
A Gentlewoman Unkn by Mr Berriman	1	1	„
Rd Mr Soane at Rochester	1	1	„
A Lady Unkn by Mr Green of Derby	1	1	„
Mrs Fitzherbert by Do	„	10	6
Rd Dr Osborn of Clifton Bedfordsre	1	1	„
Rd Mr Berrow of Northill Do	2	2	„
Mr Jos: Watson by Mr Blyth of Coleshill	1	1	„
Rd Mr Rimington of Glocester	1	1	„
Rd Mr Master of Croston Lancasre at Admission	1	1	„
Rd Mr Stephens Canon of Windsor Do	1	1	„
Rd Mr Payne A.D. of Stow	2	2	„
Rd Dr King of Cheam Surry at Ad:	1	1	
Rd Mr Mason at Hull Yorksre	1	1	„
Rd Mr Hughes of Chittlehampton Devon	1	1	„
A Society of Clergymen by Ditto	3	3	—
Rd Mr Grimwood of Dedham Essex	1	1	„
Rd Mr Ault of Alsey Bedfordsre	1	1	„
Two Ladies Unkn by Mrs Hutton of Westmr	1	1	„
A Gentlewoman Unkn by Mr Walter	1	1	„
Rd Mr Parr of Wold Northamptonre	1	1	—
Rd Mr Lloyd of Epping Essex	1	1	„
Rd Mr Marshall of Ansley Warwicksre	2	2	6

Benefactions to the East Indo Mission

Mrs Cock by the Revd Mr Perronet	2	2	—
A Gentlewoman Unkn by Mr Berriman	„	10	6

Books & Papers presented to ye Society

Nov. 7 4. 6 Copies of the Bp of Peterborough's Sermon before the Northampton Infirmary
p 184

— 5. 25 Friendly Lre to a Patient just Admitted into an Infirmary, by Dr Stonehouse

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Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

Books & Papers bought & Printed &c

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society

Oct. 25 5 12 Address to Prisoners for Debt for Dr Cartwright
181
Nov. 15 5 25 Dissuasive from Popery to Mr Brownelle
188
29 3 1 Com: Prayer to Mr Bourdillon for a poor Woman
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An Abstract of the Proceedings of ye Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 10 Janry to Tuesday 4 April 1749

Chairmen this Quarter

Dr Wilson
Sr Jno Philipps
Mr Carew

Subscribing Members chose

Jany 10 7. Jno Parfect Fell. of Oriel Coll. Oxon
p. 196 Francis Hawkins M A of Higham Gobion Bedfordsh.
Feby 7 203 9 Revd Mr Robt Clarke Fellow of Clare Hall Cambridge
Mar: 7 210 5 Rev Mr Jarvis Red of Stone in Worcestershire
Revd Mr Backhouse Vicar of Newbold Pacey Warwicksh.
Sr Daniel Lambert Knt & Alderman of London

Corresponding Members chose

Feby 7 203 9 Mr Thos Sewell Minr of Whitehaven in Cumberland
Mar: 7 202 5. Mr Charrington Vicar of Aldenham Herts
Mr Geo: Bracegirdle Red of Taplow Bucks.
Mr Price Vicar of Langevelach Glamorganshire
11 Correspondg Members recommended by the Bp of St Davids
6 Do ------- by the Bp of St Asaph
13 Do ------- by the Bp of Bangor

Miscellaneous Reports.

Jany 10 195. 2 Report of the Annual Produce of Lands in Romney Marsh bequeathed to the Society by the late Mr Belke
196. 5 Report of a Bill from Mr Barter for £6..12..—
198 9. Mr Wm Denne is desired to Advance £250 for the Missionaries Salarys in the East Indies

Mr A D Denne is desir'd to pay the following Bills

10 10. Duties on 4 Chambers in the Temple 7„ 19„ 3

p. 198 Mr Oliver ½ a years Rent of Hall &c 2„ 10„ —
3„ —„ —

Do for a Storehouse for ye Welch Bibles Shrewsbury &c 5„ 3„ —

Do for the Stove .... 1„ 11„ 9

Geo: New for Binding .... „ 14„ —

199 17 3 Report of a Bill from Jno Blackbourn Esqr £10

200a 24 1 Do from Dr Hartley for ——— 5„ 2„ —

Do from Mr Thompson in New England ... 2„ —„ —

200b 31 5. A Commee for the Welch Bible Summoned

1 Resolutions of the Society upon reading ye Report of ye Commee

Febry 7
201. 6 ~~2~~ The Welch Bishops desired to recommend proper persons in Wales to become Members of the Socy & assist in the distribution of the Bibles

202 7 ~~4~~. A Gratuity of 10 Guineas to Messrs Ralph & Johnson upon their Memorial

203 9 ~~5~~ The Order of 1 Novr forbidding ye Distribution of ye Welch Bibles till a Commee sat to regulate Abuses, repealed

204 17 Mr A D Dennes Report of ye Distribution of Books in Kent out of Mr Bethes Charity amountg to £54„ 11„ 8½

— 18 Thanks of the Socy given to Dr Denne for his Care in executing the Trust

— 19 Mr Watts order'd to Insure the Silver to be sent to E. India

14 1. A Gratuity of 2 Guineas given to Mr Morris for attending the Affair of the Welch Bible

205

21 2 Letters were read from Mr A D Peploe & Mr Ste: White wth Bills to pay for Books

207

28. 1. The Members in Wales to keep a List of ye Parishes wherein they distribute the Welch Bible & an Acct. of the No distributed by them.

207

Mar: 7 1. Report of presenting ye Welch Bible to ye Prince of Wales &c.

209 3. Report of Mr Read's Benefaction of £10 for the Release of poor Debtors.

21 10 ~~8~~ Mr Price & Mr Bennet, request that they might be favour'd wth ye remainder of the Welch Bible, promised by Dr Watts.

4. The Determination of that matter Adjourned for a

21 1. Report of a Bill from Mr Hughes at Chillingdon £

26 2. A Motion made to give Bibles & Com. Pray. Books to the New Settlement in Nova Scotia

5. Agreed to Adjourn to the Tuesday after Easter Week.

Benefactions to the General Design

Jany 10		1	Revd Mr Drake Vicar of Sunnerby Lincolnsr. at Anniv.	2„2„
195			Mr Alderman Drake of Lincoln	1„1„
			Henry Salway of Elton Salop Esq	1„1„
			Mr Robt Rixson of Cripplegate	1„1„
			Revd Mr Southern Vicar of Cardington Salop	1„1„
			Revd Mr Murgatroyd of Leeds Yorks	1„1„
			Mr Jno Vaylor of Portsmouth Hants	1„1„
		1	Revd Dr Chelcott Minister of Brentford at Anniv.	1„1„
17			Revd Dr Leigh of Dorchester	1„1„
198			Lady Palmer	1„1„
			Mrs Esther Palmer	„10„6
			Mrs Catherine Roberts	„10„6
			Revd Mr Thos Roberts	1„1„
			Three Gentlemen desiring to be Unknown	3„3„
			Thomas Wilson Esqr	1„1„
			Mrs Carte	1„1„
31		1	A Gentlewoman Unknown	1„1„
201			Mrs Bewicke	3„„
			Revd Mr Fenwick who remitts ye above 9 Benefns	2„2„
			Mrs Pierce by the Revd Mr Berriman	1„1„
			A Gentlewoman Unknown ⅌ hands of Dr Hales	5„5„
			Revd Dr Parker Rect of Elwick in ye County of Durham	1„1„
			A Person Unknown ⅌ Mr Gell of Westmr	1„7„
			Revd Dr Trougheat Rec. of ~~[illegible]~~	1.1.
			Revd Mr Hatfield Rec. of ~~Dilley [illegible]~~	1„1„
			Revd Mr Leyland Vic of Westdean in Sussex	1.1.
Feby 7			Revd Mr Parfect Junr Fellw of Oriel Coll Oxon	1.1.
14		3	Revd Mr Hawkins Rr. of Higham Gobion at Anniv.	1.1.
205			Revd Mr Waring Lect. of St Mildred in the Poultry	10.6

		Rev.d Mr Bovell Prebendary of Rochester	2„2„—
21	1	Jno Horne Esq.r at Northampton	2„2„—
28 207	2	Rev.d Mr Barton Rec.r of St Mary Steps Exon	1„1„—
		Rev.d Mr Hugh Ford Rec. of Ashton Devon	1„1„—
		Jno Blackburne of Orford Lancas.r Esq	10„—„—
		A Person Unknown by the hands of the Rev Mr Bowyer	1„1„—
		H. Gardner of Canterbury Esq.r	1„1„—
		A Lady Unknown by Mrs Hutton of Westm.r	„10„6
		Rev.d Mr Gibson of Biggleswade Bedfords.e	„10„6
Mar: 7		Rev.d Mr Alcorne Vic.r at Armiscot	1„1„—
209		Rev.d Mr Jarvis Rec.r of Stone Warwick.r D.o	1„1„—
		Rev.d Mr Backhouse Vic.r of Newbold Pacey D.o	1„1„—
14. 209		Dr Powell Dean of St Asaph	5„—„—

Benefactions to ye East Ind.a Miss.n

Jan 24 200	3	Rt Hon.ble the Lady Viscountess Windsor	10„—„—
31 202	3	Rt Hon.ble the Countess of Derby	1„1„—

Books & Papers presented to ye Soc.y

Jan 10. 196 — 3. — 50 Dr Bests Essay on the Daily Service of the Church of England a Present from the Doctor

4. — 50 Further Acc.t of the Circulating Welsh Charity Schools

Mar: 7 209 — 8. — 50 Copies of two Sermons preach'd to a Congregation of Black Slaves in Maryland

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of ye Society

5000 Copies of New Regulations ab.t dispersing Welsh Bibles
500 Childs Xtian Education

Books & Tracts given away by ye Soc.y

Jan 17 207 — 7 — A Packet for a poor Family
31 — 4 — D.o to Mr Wilson at Hocking Value 80
D.o to Mr Thompson in N England Value 40
Mar 21 216 — 4. — D.o to Mr Surgen for Chaplain at Fort St Davids Value 40
12 Testaments, 6 Psalters Arabick to D.o

An Abstract of the Proceed
# of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 4 April to Tuesday 27 June 1749

Chairmen this Quarter { Dr Jenner
Dr Denne
Mr Bulgenter

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

			£
il 4 p. 218	5	Mrs Esther Blunden by Dennys De Bert Esqr	300

Subscribing Members chose

4
218 1 John Carew of Bath Esqr
Revd Mr Pordage Sub Dean of His Majesty's Chapel
2
212 4. Revd Mr Syer Fellw of Caius Coll. Cambridge
Mr Wm Wright of St Ann Westmr.

Corresponding Members chose

il 4
218 1 Revd Mr George Swynfen Chaplain at Fort St David
2
222 4. Revd Mr Holmes Vicar of Rickmansworth Herts
Revd Mr Evans of Newton Carmarthens.
Revd Mr Lloyd of Bangor

Miscellaneous Reports

218 5–6 An Order for Advancing £50 out of Mr. Belke's Charity to purchase Bibles & Com: Prayer Books &c. for the New Settlements at Nova Scotia

220 10–11 ~~7~~ 7. A Day fix'd for Auditing ye Society's Accts. viz 29 Inst.

~~8~~ 8 Names of the Auditors

– 12 ~~9~~ Order for paying Messrs. Bliss & Johnson their Bill of 9„8„6

Do. Reyland's Bill for Printing Maps for the Welch Bible 21„15„–

17. Agreed to Accept Mr. Terrett's £50 & allow him 5 p Cent as before, to be laid out Yearly for Books for ye poor of Bradford in Wilts

11 3. Report of Mr. Peck's Legacy of £50

222 8. Minute about Translating ye Protestant's Reasons why he cannot turn Papist into French.

225 9. Order for distributing the said Tract gratis, in poor & populous Parishes.

– 11 Order for Building ye Scaffold at St. Ch to Accommodate the Charity Children

18 1 Mr. A D Squire undertakes to preach ye Anniversary Sermon

226 2 Order for an Adjournmt. to ye Tuesday after ye Thanksgiving

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May 2 1 Report of the Comee for Auditing the Society's Accounts.

227 230 8 ~~7~~ Resolution to add £6 to the Messenger's Salary in consideration to the great Increase of Business

232, 10 ~~9~~. Agreemt. to give the Binding of 1000 French Bibles to be sent to Nova Scotia

– 10. Agreed (Conditionally) to pay ye whole Expence of the Impression of ye Protestant's Reasons &c.

– 12. Agreed to make Dr. Carter's two Legacys, One of £110 Bank Stock, £200. and ye other of £295„5„11 New So. Sea Annuities £300

233. 16 ~~14~~ Tuesday ye 23d Inst. appointed for the Anniversary Meeting

~~15~~ Order for the Dinner

16 Order for Preparing an Abstract of ye Society's Proceedings The May 9.

9 ~~13~~ Report of ye Sermon preach'd at ye Anniversary Meeting

236 6 The Acct. of the Society's Proceedgs. to be refer'd to ye A. D. Deane &c.

8 Order for an Adjournmt. to ye Tuesday after Whitson Week &c.

13 Letter to a Member in Wales concerning ye Welch Bible

Benefactions to ye Gen. Designs

	Mr Parry Red of Shipston Worcester		1„ 1„
	The Rt Honble the Countess of Derby by Mr Wilson of Cocking		2„ 2„
	A Gentlewoman Unkn by Mr Taylor of Clifton		3„ 3„
	A Do by the Revd Mr Touch of Kendal Magna		1„ 1„
	Mr Sewell Minister of Whitehaven in Cumberland		1„ 1„
	Mr Hildesley Vic of Hitchin Herts		1„ 1„
	A Person desiring to be Unk by Do		1„ 11„ 6
	Revd Dr Ayerst Preby of Canterbury at Admission		1„ 1„
	Mrs Cattmore in ye Strand		1„ 1„
	Mr Baker Red of Redenhall Norfolk at Admissn		1„ 1„
	Mr Saml Berset Vicr of Aldborough in Suffolk Do		1„ 1„
	Mr Hingeston Rr of Clisthydon Devon		1„ 14„ 6
	Sir Danl Lambert Knt & Alderman at Admission		2„ 2„
	Jno Carew of Bath Esqr at Do		1„ 1„
	Revd Mr Athelin		„ 10„ 6
	A Gentleman in Norfolk desiring to be Unk		40„ „
	Mr Beeke of Kings Teynton Devon		„ 10„ 6
	A.B by the Secretary		1„ 1„
	Mr Shirlow Vid. of Thurston Norfolk		1„ 1„
	M.A.D.D.		1„ 1„
	A Wido Gent. by Mr Tucker of Bristol		1„ 1„
	Mrs Marsses & one other Lady for Do		1„ 1„
	Chris: Goulton Esqr	1„ 1„	
	Revd Mr Clarke	1„ 1„	
	Revd Mr Mease	„ 10„ 6	
	A Gentlewn Unknown	2„ 2„	
	Mrs Hyde	„ 10„ 6	5„ 5„
	Mrs Lucy Osborne by hands of Mr Lemon of Keckstead		2„ 2„
	Gabriel Hanger of Driffield Glocestersh by Bp of Glocester		5„ 5„
	Revd Mr Jackson of Tadley Yorkr		1„ 1„
	Revd Mr Nevison Dean of Battle Sussex		1„ 1„
17[illegible]	Mr E S by Do		1„ 1„
May 22	The Gift of Mrs Ann Trelawny deceased towards buying Books for Charity Schools		50„ „

Benefactions to the East Ind.a Mission

10. Mr Geo: Scullard in Fen Church Street —— 5„5„–
11 1. Dr Stevenson Vicar of Netherbury Dorsetsh —— 1„1„–
222

Books & Papers presented to ye Socy

May 2d 6. 25 Acct. of the Society in Scotland for Propagating Christian Knowledge
231
12 Dr Stevenson's Thanksgiving Sermon
25 Account of St Georges Hospital

Books & Tracts admitted to be dispersed

Apl 4 4. A Protestants Reasons &c. 3d single 18 ⅌ hundred
219
May 2 5 A Friendly Letter to a Patient just admitted into an Infirmary by James Stonehouse M.D.
230

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

April 11 8. 5000 Hymns for the use of the Charity Children
225
May 9. 5. 1500. Mr A. A. Squires Sermon. 1500. Acct.s of ye Society
237

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society

Apl 4 6 100 Protestants Reasons why he cannot turn Papist
219 200. Protestants Catechisms to ye Irish Society
11 7 1 Bible 8vo for a Poor Man at ye request of the Bp of Worcester
225
May 9 7. 50 Protestants Reasons &c. to Mr Bacon of Maryland.
238

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from 27 June to 3d Oct. 1749

Chairmen this Quarter Mr Parfec
C. Hickson

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

1749
Sep. 5. 1. Revd Mr Godley of Hitchin Herts by Dr Messenger Monsey } 50.. 0.. 0
256

Subscribing Members chose

July 4. 1. Revd Mr Lechmere Archd. of Winton
249
Sep. 5. 7. Revd Mr Richd Brome of Ipswich in Suffolk.
257

Correspondg Members chose

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Miscellaneous Reports

June 27. 3 A Letter from ye Danish Missionarys read & referd to Dr L
248
July 4. 4 Three Bills of Mr Olivers for Warehouse Room & Printing 500 Letters in Welch and English amounting to 10.. 4.. 6 order'd to be paid
249
- 5. An Order for sending the Anniversary Sermon to the Members & Benefactors
18. 1. Some Account of the Saltzburghers at Ebenezer in Georgia in a Lre from the Revd Mr Bolzius
251
- 3. The Secry empowred to discharge some Debtors out of the Marshalsea & Ludgate Prisons
25. 4. Dr Wilson's Motion for sending the remaining 500 Welch Bibles to Messrs Price & Bennett
252

Miscellaneous Reports continued

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July 23. 5 The Comee's resolution thereupon

250

Aug. 1. 4 The Society Adjourns to 5 Sepr.

254

Sepr. 5. 5. An Order for the Payment of Mr. Johnson's Bill for Paper for Printing the Welch Bible, amounting to 21„ 11„ 1

257

2 26. 4. An Order for sending the Revd Mr Jones 400 Welch Bibles out of the No allotted him by Society

258

Benefactions to the Genl Designs

Revd Mr Professor Chappelow	1„ 1„ –
Revd Mr Rogers of Warminster	„ 10„ 6
Mr Thalres of Glocester	2„ 2„ –
Revd Mr Burroughs at Admission	1„ 1„ –
Revd Mr Lunderson	„ 13„ 3½
Revd Mr Dumaresq	1„ 1„ –
Revd Mr Cookson at Leeds	1„ 1„ –
Revd Dr Rogers at Adisham	„ 10„ 6
Revd Mr Cartwright of Wroxeter Salop	1„ 1„ –
Ditto for a Person Unknown	2„ 2„ –
Wm Dunstar of Layton Stone Esq	5„ 5„ –
Mr A.D. Lechmere at Admission	1„ 1„ –
A Person desiring to be Unknown by Do	1„ 1„ –
Revd Mr Thorshaw of Coningsby	2„ 2„ –
A Gentlewoman Unknown by Dr Hales	3„ 3„ –
Mr Stephen Goujeon by Mr Bourdillon	„ 10„ 6
Revd Mr Commissary May at Jamaica	4„ 4„ –
Revd Dr Sharpe Archdy of Durham	2„ 2„ –
A Person Unknown by Mr Brathey	1„ 1„ –

Benefactions to the East Ind. Miss.

1749 July 11. 251	2	Mr Richd Marchant at Edburton Sussex.	3.. ..
18. 251b	2.	Mr De Vere & his Daughters	2.. 2.. 0

Books & Papers presented to ye Society

July 11. 251	1.	200 Revd Dr Nicolls Sermon preached before the Incorporated Society in Ireland
		50 Annual Acct from the Infirmary at Westmr
		6 Do from Winchester Do
252	4.	75 Necessity & usefulness of reading ye Scriptures from Mr Mane.

Books & Tracts admitted to be dispersd

Books & Papers bought & Printed &c.

Books & Tracts given away &c.

June 27. 247	1.	A Packet to the Revd Mr Zuberbeyler V.	2.. ..
July 11. 250b	6.	Ditto to the Minister of Foots Cray in Kent.	3
25	6.	Ditto to the Revd Mr Ogilvy value	2.. ..
Augt 1 254	2.	Ditto to Mr Vaughan of Leominster & Mr Parsons at Normanton.	
	3.	6 Address to Prisoners for Crimes to the Keeper of the Savoy	
Sepr. 12. 257	1.	2 Arabick Testamts to Mr Dumaresq & Mr Thompson	
26. 259	3	A Packet value 20s to the Revd Mr Shultz.	
	4.	12 Arabick Testaments to Ditto	

An Abstract of ye Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from 3d Oct. 1749 to 9 Janry 1749.50.

Chairmen this Quarter.

Mr Ald Yardley
Mr Edwards
Mr Berriman

Subscribing Members chose

1749 Nov. 7. p. 270 — Mr 2. Rev Mr Humfrey of Norwich

Correspond Members chose

Oct. 3. 260 — 3 Rev Mr Rice Vicar of Holywell Flintsh.
Rev Mr Rowley Vicar of Frieston Suffolk
Rev Mr Clarke Vicar of Litlington Bedfordsh.

Miscellaneous Reports.

1749 Oct. 3. 261 — 5 Report from Dr Bearcroft of a Library bequea to this Society by the late Dr Evans

262 — 8. Order for circulating & dispersing the Welch Bibles as before, & in what proportions

263 — 10. Order for marking the 2 East Ind. Bonds, belonging to the Fund for Welch Bibles

11 Order for raising a Screne door in the Passage

64 10 — 3. A Motion from Sr Jno Thorold that Mr G Jones may have his whole No of Welch Bibles sent him. & ye Comees resolution thereupon

Oct.10. 6 The Secry empowered to discharge as many Debtors
p.265. as the Sum left by the late Mr Campbell will enable
him to do.
Two Bills for binding of Books ordered to be paid
24. 2.
p.266. 3 Lres read from the Missionaries in ye East Indies
– An Order for the Reprinting some Tracts out of Print
Novr 7. 5 Dr Woodwards Tracts agt Uncleanness & Profane
-270 Language not to be reprinted ~~till further Order.~~
– 6 Order for dispersing the New Edition of Osterwald
on the New Testament.
– 7 Ditto for the Catechism broke into Short Questions
– 8 A Report from the Secry that he had collated Mr
Baskets 8vo Bible.
– 9 An Order to the Secry to wait upon his Grace the ABpp
of Canterbury with the List of Errors
21 2 – 3 A Resolution to take the Opinion of the Society
273 whether the Members in their Application for
Books should not be limitted to a certain Sum.
274 28. . 1 A List of Debtors released out of Prisons
276. 3 Mr Boudillons offers to Translate the Directions
for the Devout use of the Com: Prayer into French.
Dec 5. 4 The Secrys Report from the ABpp of Canterbury
278. concerning the Errors in ye Octavo Bible
– 6 The Motion relating to the Limitation of Books dismiss
Dec. 5. 7 An Order for keeping 300 Welch Bibles in ye Stores.
280 19 – 1 - 2 Mr AD Denne is desired to pay the Arrears due
on Acct. of the Welch Bibles to Mr Bentham
and Mr Bedwell
– 19. 3 Mr AD Denne is desired to advance the necessary
Sums for the Eastern Mission out of Mr Palmers
Legacy.
281 6. Agreed to Adjourn to the 9 Jany

Benefactions to the Gen.l Designs

Rev.d Dr. Osborn of Clifton Bedfords.	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Moore at Nomission	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Brome of Ipswich Ditto	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Shute of Olveston Glocesters.	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Lloyd Vic. Choral of Bangor	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Blyth of Coleshill Warwicks.	..10..6
A Person unknown by the Rev.d Dr. Osborn	1..1..—
Rich.d Wilson Esq. Recorder of Leeds	5..5..—
Rev.d Mr Waterhouse Rec.r of Longley Kent	1..1..—
Rev.d Mr Ault of Ashby	1..1..—
Tho.s Ratcliffe of Glocester Esq.r	2..12..6
Rev.d Mr Lloyd of Epping Essex	1..1..—

Benefactions to the East Ind.a Mission

Tho.s Ratcliffe of Glocester Esq.r	2..12..6

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Books & Papers presented to the Society

Nov.r 14. 1. 6 Copies of a Sermon preached before ye Gov.rs at Northampt

p.271 6. 6 Mr Whites Protestant Dissenter Answered to ye 3d of Engl.)

Dec.r 5. 2 25 Bp Gibsons Pastoral Lre & 2d of his Lords. Tracts

278 3 25 Copies of a Lre to a Younger Member &c by Mr Ma

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

Oct.r 3. 4. Instructions for ye Young Christian in Welch & English

260

Books & Papers bought & Printed &c

Oct.r 3. 4. 500 Instructions for ye Young Christian in

260 Welch & English

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society from 9th Jany 1749.50 to 27 March 1750

Chairmen this Quarter { Mr Ferrett
Mr Smalebroke
Mr Sydenham

Chairmen this Quarter
- Mr Ferrett
- Mr Smalebroke
- Mr Sydenham

Subscribing Members chose

Feby 6. 287 7. Revd Dr Head A.D. of Canterbury
Revd Mr Mead Prebendary of Lincoln

1749.50

Miscellaneous Reports

Jany 9 282 6. Mr A.D. Ziegenhagen reports that the 3 New Missionaries designed for Tranquebar had taken their Passage

– 7. A further Report from Ditto of the several Sums sent by the Society &c. for ye support of ye Eastern Mission

8. Order for Insuring the Presents & Boxes.

23 284 2. Order for Translating a Latin Lre from Mr Prof. Francke

– 4. Agreed to Adjourn over ye 30 Jany

Feb. 6 286 1. The Translation of the Latin Lre laid before ye board &c.

3. A Lre from ye 3 New Missionaries at Deal read

– 4. The Proff of Moravians agreemt. wth the Society about the Protest. Pleasons &c.

Feby 6 287 9. A request from the Trustees of ye Ch. Schools, by Mr Sydenham that ye Society would add this to their past favours viz by providing the Anniversary Preacher for ye future.

– 11. The Society's Resolution thereupon

13 288 3. A Special Meeting Summoned to consider about Subscribing of the New Joint Stock of ye Society's New S. Sea ~~Annuities~~

3. A Bill of Mr Bentham's for Packing up 1500 W Bibles ordered to be paid

4. A Gratuity of 5 Guineas to be paid to Ditto

5. Agreed to Subscribe the New Joint Stock of the Society's New South Sea Annuities

27 1. A Report of One Years payment of Lands in Romney M

Jan: 6. 3. A Motion from the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel to assist them in purchasing French Bibles & other Religious Books & Tracts for ye use of the Colony of Nova Scotia.
294

4. The Society's resolution thereupon
5

13 1. Mr L. A. D. Denne is desired to wait upon ye Bishops & in the Name of the Society & of the Trustees of the Ch. Sch. request the Favour of a Sermon from One or other of their Lordships at the next Yearly Meeting &c.
294

20. 1. Mr Vernon reports from the Trustees for Georgia a resolution of theirs, to supply the deficiency wch the Reduction of Publick Interest will make in the Salaries of the Saltzburgh Ministers
295

Benefactions to the Genl Designs

A Person Unknown by Mr Gell of Weston	1. 7. –
Revd Mr Cawthorne of Tunbridge	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Lee of Denton in Kent	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Mason of Hull	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Evans of Newton Carmarthenshire	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Wise Vicar of Harlow Essex	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Adams of Wintringham	– 10. 6
Revd Mr Humfrey of Norwich at Admission	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Southern Vicar of Cardington Salop	1. 1. –
A Clergyman in Sussex by the Revd Mr Watson	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Holme Vicar of Rickmansworth	1. 1. –
Revd Dr Leigh of Dorchester	1. 1. –
Revd Mr Williams Vicar of St Johns in Brecon	2. 2. –

Revd Mr Bracegirdle Red of Taplow Bucks	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Thos Chappelow	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Baynes of Stoneham Aspal	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Hildesley Vicr of Hitchin Herts	1 „ 1 „
Ditto for one Unknown	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Mead at Admission	1 „ 1 „
Mr Alderman Drake of Lincoln	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Dalton of St Aarle Notts	„ 10 „ 6
A Person unknown by Mr Taylor near Bristol	3 „ 3 „
Dr Troughear Vicr of Carisbrook in ye Isle of Wight	1 „ 1 „
Revd Dr Head Ad. of Canterbury at Admission	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Parry Red of Shipston Worcestersre	1 „ 1 „
Lady Palmer	1 „ 1 „
Mrs Hester Palmer	„ 10 „ 6
Two Ladies unknown	1 „ 1 „
Lady Viscountess Cullen	1 „ 1 „
Mrs Hardinge	1 „ 1 „
Two Ladies Unknown	5 „ 5 „
Two Gentlemen Ditto	2 „ 2 „
Thos Wilson Esqr	1 „ 1 „
Mrs Carter	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Peppin	1 „ 1 „
Mrs Bewicke	3 „ — „
A Person Unknown	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Fenwick	2 „ 2 „
A Person unknown by the Dean of the Arches	10 „ 10 „
Thos Betteworth Appleson Esqr	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Borron Red of Northill Bedfordsre	1 „ 1 „
Mr Robt Peirson of Cripplegate	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Gibson of Biggleswade Bedfords	„ 10 „ 6
Revd Mr Baxter Rl of Exeter	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Hugh Ford of Ashton Devon	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Hatfield of Lilley Herts	1 „ 1 „
Mr Cox of Kibworth Leicestersre	1 „ 1 „
Revd Mr Gibson Precentor of St Pauls & Lichfd	1 „ 1 „

Books & Papers presented to the Society

ry 19. 3. 50 Farther Acct. of the Circulating Welch Ch. Schools
292 25 Copies of Dr. Stebbing's brief Acct. of Prayer &c.
Mar: 20. 2. 12 Copies of the Bp. of London's Letter to the Clergy &c
295 on Acct. of the late Earthquakes.

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society

6 25 Lewis's Catechisms to Dr. Dennie
Mar: 20. 100 Ditto to Mr. Bacon of Maryland
297 7. 50 Fishers Spelling Book

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from 27 March 1750, to 26 June following

Chairmen this Quarter

Dr Wilson
Mr Gosling
Dr Church.

Subscribing members chose

Revd Dr Terrick Prebendary of St Pauls
Revd Dr Barton Canon of Xt Church Oxon
Revd Mr Peele Vicar of Tilney Norfolk.

Corresponding members chose

Revd Mr Kinard Vicar of Lanelly Carmarthen:
Revd Mr Ogilvy Missionary to the Mohock Indian

1750 Miscellaneous Reports

Mar: 27 298 3–4 Agreed to assist ye Society for the Propagation of ye Gospel who had resolved to send 500 English Bibles to Nova Scotia

– 5 ~~4~~ A Report from Mr Gregory that he had sent up Dr [illegible] Library

– 7 ~~6~~ Mr Ad: Denne's report upon his having applied to the Bps. to preach the Anniversary Sermon. Their Ldships not being able to oblige the Society this Year, Mr A.D. Yardley undertakes ye kind office.

April 3 300 6. Order for referring Books & Tracts out of Print (if they need Alterations) to ye perusal of 4 Members.

9. A day appointed for the Audit
7. Names of the Auditors
10 1. Leave given Mr Dod to print, The Duty of praying
301 Custom.— Earnest Address to ye Methodists.—
ABp Tillotson's Letters to Mr Hunt.—
3 Report of Mrs Read's Charity to Release poor Debtors
302 4 An Order to the Secry to keep ye Benefacn in his hands
24 4. Mr Dod agrees to furnish the Society wth the Bp of
304 London's Letter @ $\frac{3}{4}$ Single or 5l ℔ hundred.
May 1 1. Report of the Auditors
305 5. A Day appointed for the Anniversary Meeting of
the Society
307 7 Order for preparing an Abstract of the Society's
Proceedings for the last Year
8 1. Report of the Sermon preach'd by Mr A.D. Yardley
308 at ye Yearly Meeting of the Ch. Children
3 Order for Printing 1500 Copies of the said Sermon
309 4 The Account of the Society's Proceedings to be referr'd
before it be printed to Mr A.D. Denne
5. The Trustees of the Ch. Sch. send their Thanks by Mr Carew
for undertaking to provide the Anniversary Breakfast
for the future
6 A Bill of Expences at the Yearly Meeting of the
Ch. Schools, ordered to be paid.
15 1. Letters read from Mr Kiernander & Mr [illegible] at
Fort St George
310 10 Ditto from the Revd Mr Bolzius at Georgia
311 6 New Order about the Place of the Society's coming
together
8 Order for the great Stationers to bring Specimens
of Paper for Printing a New Edition of ye W. Bible

Benefactions to the Gen.l Desig

Rev.d Mr Welles of Prestbury Glocestersh.e	1..1..
Rev.d Mr Baker Rec.r of Kirby Carne Norfolk	0..10..6
Mrs Catmure in Fore Street	1..1..
Rev.d Dr Barton Canon of Xt Ch Oxon at Di	1..1..
Rev.d Mr Peete Vicar of Tilney Norfolk do	1..1..
Rev.d Mr Ashcroft at Keysoal Bedfords.e	1..1..
Mr Barth.w Wimberley by Mr Stead of Reigate	1..1..
Mr J. H. by Mr Broughton	2..2..
Rev.d Mr Francis Huysh of Clisthydon Devon	1..1..
Ditto from a Society of Clergymen	1..1..
Ditto being the remainder of a Sum of Money bequeathed to religious uses by the late Rev.d Mr Burroughs of Gittisham	80..8..
Rev.d Mr Parker Rec.r of Great Rollright	1..1..
Henry Salwey of Elton Salop Esq.r	1..1..
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unk. by J. O.	5..–..
Rob.t North of Scarborough Esq.r	2..2..
A Gentlewoman desiring to be Unk. by Dr Hales	5..5..
The Right Hon.ble the Lord Digby	20..–..

Benefactions to ye East Ind.a Missi

A Clergyman Unk. by the Rev.d Mr Wilson	1..1..
Mr De Mers of Eton	4..4..
Gabriel Hanger Esq.r	5..5..

Books & Papers presented to the Society

Jany 27 p. 297 | 1. | 200 Bp of London's Letter on ye late Earthquakes
50 Copies of the Revd Mr Bacon's Sermon preached to a Congregation of Black Slaves
50 Ditto to their Masters
12 Copies of a Sermon preached before the Trustees of Georgia by Mr Franck Ling

Ap^l 24. 304 | 3. | 12 Copies of the Revd Mr Perronet's Tracts, entitled Earnest Exhortation to the Strict Practice of Religion
12 Copies of the Bp of Worcester's Sermon & Preface

Books & Papers admitted to be dispers'd

April 3 300 | 3. | A Letter from the Lord Bp of London to the Clergy and People of London & Westm^r on Occasion of the late Earthquakes.
An Exhortation to Chastity

Books & Papers bought & Printed by Order of the Society

5000 Hymns for the Charity Children
1500 Mr Ash Yardley's Sermon

Books & Tracts given away by Ord^r of ye S.

[illegible] 10 | A Packet Value 30/- to the Revd Mr Gregory of Ashwell
311 | 1 | 200 Questions & Ans.^rs about ye 2 Religions, in French to be sent to Nova Scotia
May 15 311 | 3. | 300 Protestant's Reasons &c to the Revd Mr Loyd of Ryton at ye request of the Bp of Glocester.
| 9. | 2 Arabick Testaments to the Revd Mr Prof. Schultens at Leiden.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge from Tuesday 26 June to Tuesday 2 Octr 1750

Chairmen this Quarter {
Mr Wright
Mr Pittuis
Mr Moore

1750.

Gifts & Legacys to the Society

Jy 10. p.329 1. Thos Bromsall late of Blunham Bedfordsh. Esqr three Guineas p Ann for 20 Years to commence at his Demise.

Subscribing Members chose

Jy 17 p.329 2 Rev Mr Butler Rec. of Ashley Hants
Sep 4 p.325 13 Rev Mr Carlyon
Oct 2 383 1 Henry Hoare Esqr

Corresponding Members chose

Oct 2 383 1. Rev Mr Bouchery Rec. of Swaffham Norfol
Mr Saml Dyphin of Carmarthen

1780

Miscellaneous Reports

June 26 | 323 — 4 A Bill of Expences at the Administration of Mr Hastings Will & two other Bills from Messrs Oliver & Comp for Binding Book & Warehouse Room, order'd to be paid

July 17 | 326 — 3. Order for sending the Anniversary Sermon to all the Members & Benefactors &c

Sept 4 | 329 — 4 ~~5~~ Agreed to Adjourn to 4 Sepr

6 ~~3~~ The Secry's report that they had presented the Anniversary Sermon to the King & Royal Family

25 | 82 — 1. A Bill of Dues upon the Society's Chambers in the Temple amounting to £4„5„9 ordered to be paid

Benefactions to the Society's Designs in Genera

June 26	1	Revd Mr Foote Red of Yoxall Staffordshire at Admission	1„1„–
321	2	Revd Mr Cookson Vicr of Leeds Yorkshire	1„1„–
—		Two Ladies Unknown by Saml Torriano Esqr	4„4„–
Sepr 4.	1	Two Gentlewomen Ditto by Mrs Hutton of Westmr	1„1„–
328		Revd Mr Butler Rr of Ashley Hants at Admission	1„1„–
		Wm Dunster of Layton Stone Esqr	5„5„–
—	5	Revd Mr Peape Fello of Kings Col. Cambridge at Ad:	1„1„–

Benefactions to the East India Mission

Sepr 4	1	~~A Person Unknown ⅌ hands of Dr B~~	5„5„–
329			

Benefactions to the Saltzburg

Sepr 4	1.	A Person Unknown ⅌ hands of Dr B- - - -	5„5„–
329			

Books & Papers presented to the Society

1750 Minute
Apr. 4. 4 12 Bp of Peterborough's Sermons before the Gov.rs of the Middx Hospital
329
12 Bp of Chichester's Sermon before the Gov.rs of the London Hospital
6 Rev.d Mr Blair's Sermon before the Society for Propaga. Christian Knowledge in Scotland
18 1. 50 Annual Acc.ts of Westmr. Infirmary

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society

1 Packet value 40 to The Rev.d Mr Punderson
Apr 4 6 25 Lewis's Catm & 25 Fisher's Spellg Books to Sr Rd Hoare
328 7 12 of each to Dr. Stonehouse for a Charity School
11 1 A Packet order'd for the use of the Debtors in White Chapel Prison
25 2 Ditto value 40 to The Rev.d Mr Holiday at Bermuda.
4. Ditto to Mr Bourdillon for a Poor Family.

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society from 2 Oct.r 1750, to 8 Jan.ry 1750. 1.

Chairmen this Quarter { Mr Moore
Dr Bearcroft
Mr Mead

Gifts & Legacies to the Society

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Oct.r 16 324	1.	Rev.d Mr John Salway	10. 0. 0

Subscribing Members chose

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Octr 2 333 1 Henry Hoare Esq.
Nov. 6 339 4 Revd Dr Yarbrough
Mr Ebenezer Blackwell
Mr Wm Clarke

Corresponding Members chose

Octr 2 333 1 Rev Mr Bouchery
Mr Saml Deyhin
Novr 6 339 4 Revd Mr Shaw of Burton
Revd Mr Priddy

Miscellaneous Reports

Octr 23 336 1 The Stationer's Bill for Printing the Anny Sermon amounting to 21.3.6 ordered to be paid —

Novr 6 338 1 List of Debtors released by Mrs Reads Benefaction

20 340 1. The Secry ordered to take the Opinion of such Members of ye Soci
as are Barristers at Law, in Order to return a proper
Answer to Mr Parker's Letter, "Whether Lands held by Lease
"renewable in such a term of Years either from a private Pson
"or a Body of Men were what could be left to the Society
"So that the Law wd permit ye Society to enjoy the Profits
"rising from such Land notwithstanding the Act of
"Mortmain?

Decr 4 342 20 An Order for the usual Presents to be made to the Missionaries in the East Indies

18 346 4. Agreed to Adjourn to 8 January

Benefactions to the General Designs

Octr 2 333 To sundries amounting to 26.15.6
16
Nov: 6 339
27
Decr 4 342

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Benefactions to the Welsh Bibles

.16 384
.6 340
13
27
.4

To sundries amounting to 22. 1. 0

Benefaction to the East India Mission

No. 6 6 Revd Mr Tanner —— 5. 5. 0
340

Books & Papers presented to the Society

Ot.16 2 200 Bpe of Leighlin & Ferns Sermon before the Irish Charter Schools
384

No. 27 9. 12 Dr Regis's Discourse upon Faith
342

Books & Papers Bought & Printed by Order of the Society

.2 4 200 Childs Christian Education
384

Books & Tracts given away by Order of ye Society

Novr3 1 A Packet of Arabic Testts & Psalters to a Friend of Dr Wilsons going abroad.
340

An Arabic Testt. to Mr Cossart

.4 2. A Packet to the Missionaries in the East Indies
342
401 1 Ditto to the Revd Mr Vaughan of Leominster
345 2 Ditto to Dr Regis
346 3 Ditto to the Revd Mr Swinton of Knutsford Cheshire

An Abstract of the Proceedings of the Society from 8th Jany 1750/1. to 26 March 1751.

1750/1 Chairmen this Quarter { Dr Terrick
Mr Nowell
Sr Jno Philipps }

Subscribing Members chose

Jany 8. 10 Rev Mr Fitzgerald
p. 347 Mr Wm Kemp
Feby 5 1 Dr Dalton
Dr Thomas
351 Mr Robt Gosling
Sr Jno Barnard
Sr Robt Ladbroke
Mar: 5 6 Mr Wm Gardiner
Mr Martyn
Mr Hy Monoux

Corresponding Members chose

Jany 8 10 Mr Rd Chambre
347
Feby 5 1 Dr Parker
Charles Floyer Esqr
351 Rev Mr Harwood
Mar: 5 6. Rev Mr Warner
Rev Sir Peter Rivers Bart

Miscellaneous Reports

Jany 8 9 An Acct of a Tract entitled Cautions and Directions concerning
347 the Publick Worship translated into French by Mr Boyhill
15 5 Mr Ash Denne is desired to pay 3 Bills deliver'd in by Mr Oliver
349 and Camp.
6 An Order for Insuring the Things sent to the East Indies in
One of the Publick Offices
Feb. 5. Rev. Mr Ballard 2 Tracts & 2 of Bp Gibsons 35 Admitted
Feby 12 3 The Trustees of the Charity Schools return the Society their Thanks for
355 the many favors, by Mr Sydenham.
19 1. An Acct of the Sale of the Society's Chambers in the Temple
358 See Min: 29 May last

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Feby 19 5 Report of the Progress of the Welsh Bible

Ditto

~~An Order for inrolling Mr Cunham in the List of Subscribing Members in consideration of a Benefaction of £50.~~

~~9 Account of a Welsh Translation of the Church Catechism broke into Short Questions and Answers laid before ye Board~~

~~10 Resolutions of the Society thereon~~

Benefactions to the General Designs

To sundries . . . . 131.. 15.. 6

Benefactions to the Welsh Bible

To sundries . . . . 55.. 19.. 0

Benefactions to the East India Mission

To sundries . . . . 34.. 9.. 0

Books & Papers presented to ye Society

Jan.y 8 5 Deism revealed 2 Vol. a Present from Mr Millar
347
15 1 Visions by a Lady 50 Copies from an unknown hand
348 100 Further Account of the Circulating Charity Schools in Wales from Sr John Thorold

Feby 5 14 50 Rev Mr Bacons Sermon. from Dr Wilson
354 6 Copies of Dr Websters 2 Sermons
-12 6 6 Bp of Worcesters Spital Sermon
358 19 7.
March 5 12 25 Copies of 2 Letters concerning Animadversions on a famous Arian MS. from an unknown Hand
3
19 8 25 Annual Acct of St Georges Hospital

Books & Papers admitted to be dispersed

Jan.y 8 7 A New Edition of Dr Woodward agt Drunkenness
347
Feby 5 3 Four Sermons to the Master & Mistresses of Negro Slaves
351 Two Ditto to the Slaves themselves. Both by the Rev Mr Bacon Rect of a Church in Maryland. Price 9d stitcht together

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5 3 A Caution agt Enthusiasm by the late Bp of London
351 Price 1d Single 6s. 6d a Hundred
His Ldships Exhortation to a Serious Reformation of Life
and Manners Price 1d Single 6s. 6d a Hundred
Mar: 5 8 A New Edition of the Necessary Duty of Family Prayer

Books & Tracts given away by Order of the Society.

Jany 22 1 A Packet to the Revd Mr Bacon of Maryland for his
350 New Erected Charity School.
— 29 1 Ditto Sir John Therold
Mar: 12 3. Ditto for a Poor man recommended by Mr Clendon
Ditto for another poor man

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